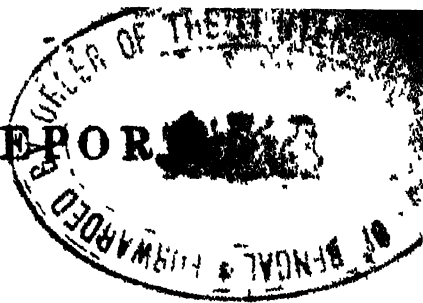


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SIR,

I HAVE the honour to submit the Annual Administration Report on the Jails of Bengal for the year 1888.

2. As I only took over charge from Dr. Lothbridge on the 1st November, I labour under the disadvantage of having had a very limited experience in the working of the Department. In accordance with the orders of Government, I will endeavour to make this report as short as possible.

CHAPTER I.—JUDICIAL STATISTICS.

3. The number of jails at present in Bengal is 44, viz., central 7, district 23, intermediate 14, and subsidiary 85. From the 1st January 1888, Government sanctioned the reduction of 14 district jails to the new grade of intermediate jail. On the 1st January 1888 the total prison population of all classes numbered 13,210, against 14,629 on the same date of 1887. The marked reduction at the beginning of 1888 was due to the releases and remissions on account of the Jubilee. The total admissions were 81,136 compared with 75,664 in 1887. The discharges were 80,361, leaving 13,985 on the last day of 1888. This figure shews an increase of 775 compared with the statistics of the previous year.

4. The daily average population of all classes shows an increase from 12,250 in 1887 to 13,731 in 1888. The increase only applies to convict and under-trial prisoners. The civil prisoners numbered less than half that of the previous year, and there were no State prisoners.

5. This table refers to convicts only, and includes the figures for the past ten years—

	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
Number of prisoners in jails and subsidiary jails on the last day of previous year.	17,336	17,300	16,384	15,231	14,577	13,417	14,051	13,821	13,465	11,060
Admitted direct during the year	26,726	26,326	21,465	21,710	29,763	32,034	21,530	26,075	29,942	30,906
Admitted by transfer	22,303	20,535	47,749	46,941	44,140	45,451	45,851	44,406	43,407	42,948
Total	74,128	69,346	64,945	62,701	59,689	62,111	62,345	61,908	60,634	60,130
Deceased transferred...	20,306	18,644	14,810	15,548	15,274	16,410	17,360	17,155	14,795	19,792
Discharged	64,977	50,220	31,604	31,701	30,173	30,707	30,791	30,701	30,760	29,905
Released	24	12	14	6	12	9	8	11	6	14
Escaped	1,021	1,000	1,000	1,004	725	691	596	616	365	571
Excluded	54	73	50	50	30	43	23	17	50	21
Total discharged	66,982	52,009	40,613	40,350	45,723	49,090	49,026	48,408	47,384	50,209
Balance at the end of the year	17,390	14,596	15,231	14,577	13,417	14,051	13,821	13,465	11,060	12,921
Daily average number of prisoners	17,336	16,873	16,388	14,801	13,711	13,097	13,737	13,504	12,990	12,370

The direct admissions were 30,995, against 29,942 in 1887—a very decided increase. Admissions by transfer numbered 20,185, against 16,427 in 1887—a very marked increase, and the highest on record since 1879, when the daily average population was 17,258 and admissions by transfer 20,500. The frequent transfer of prisoners from intermediate to district and central jails accounts for the large increase. In regard to the disposal of convicts, 19,798 were transferred, against 16,725 in the previous year. This is also the highest number since 1879. The releases (29,905) were the lowest on record, owing to so many prisoners having been released on account of the Jubilee in 1887, who otherwise would have been released in 1888. The number of prisoners who remained uncaptured was 14 as compared with 6 in 1887. The deaths (571) were considerably higher than those of the two previous years. Cholera, however, accounted for 126 of the total, against 18 in 1887. The executions were only 21, against 30 in 1887. They were fewer than in any other year since 1879, except 1886. At the end of the year, 12,821 convicts remained, shewing an increase of 871 compared with the results of the previous year. The daily average number of convicts rose from 10,908 in 1887 to 12,378 in 1888. The releases were less and the admissions much over the figures for 1887.

6. Out of 44 districts, 23 show an increase in the number of admissions and 21 a decrease as compared with 1887. The districts showing the greatest rise are—Hazari-bagh 369, Midnapore 270, Gya 246, Khoolna 207, and Monghyr 206. The greatest fall occurred at—Dacca 233, Nuddea 215, 24-Pergunnahs 195, Purneah 189, Calcutta 169, and Bogra 103.

7. The districts in which the largest number of convicts were admitted direct to jail were—Calcutta 1,613, 24-Pergunnahs 1,474, Monghyr 1,362, Gya 1,312, Mymensingh 1,306, Shahabad 1,255, Hooghly 1,109, Backergunge 1,062, Furreedpore 1,036, and Cuttack 914. The list is similar to that of 1887, except that Furreedpore and Cuttack take the place of Sarun and Dacca.

8. Out of a total daily average of 12,378 convicts, central jails held 7,105, or 57·40 per cent.; district and intermediate jails 4,946, or 39·96 per cent.; and subsidiary jails 327, or 2·64 per cent. The proportions are very much the same as in the previous year.

9. The following table shows the releases from different causes during the past six years:—

	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
Released on expiry of sentence	26,334	26,690	27,845	27,379	27,135	21,328	26,452
.. on appeal	1,384	1,508	1,670	1,750	1,845	1,908	1,960
.. under remission rules	2,061	1,913	1,666	1,666	1,674	1,617	1,362
.. on medical grounds	25	61	22	22	26	26	22
.. on other grounds	7	21	6	75	7	6,464	26

The releases on expiry of sentence, which were reduced in 1887, owing to the Jubilee discharges, to 21,328, rose during the past year to 26,452—very nearly the same figure as in 1883. The percentage released on appeal, which had been steadily increasing for years, was nearly the same as in the previous year, viz. 6·38, against 6·36 per cent. Comparing the different

Burdwan heads the list with 20·46 per cent. of releases on appeal; then follow Noakholly with over 18 per cent., Midnapore and Moorshedabad with over 12 per cent., and Dacca, Rungpore, and Jessore with over 11 per cent. In Purneah, Beerbhoom, Julpigoree, Cuttack, Calcutta, Bogra, Singbhoom, and Pooree the ratio was under 3 per cent., and in Darjeeling only 1·11, Chumparun 1·03, and the Sonthal Pergunnahs 0·40 per cent. Under the mark rules 1,352 convicts were released, against 1,017 in 1887. The table shows that this number is lower than that of any other year except the Jubilee year. On medical grounds 33 were allowed to go as compared to 28 in the previous year. Under the head "On other grounds" 88 were released, which include 79 convicts under Jubilee remission, 5 Burmans and 4 transmarine prisoners who were set at liberty under the special orders of the Government of India.

10. The number of prisoners transported beyond the seas continues to steadily increase, and reached 803 for 1888, the figures for the three previous years being 797, 668, and 468 respectively. The number sent from Bengal was only 97, compared with 168 in 1887 and 137 in 1886.

11. On the 31st December 1887, 277 Burmese prisoners remained in confinement in the Bengal jails. During 1888, 145 Burman convicts: their health and conduct. were admitted, making a total of 422. During the year 10 were transferred to Rangoon for release, one was sent to the Futehgurh Jail, and another to the Nagpur Jail. The deaths numbered 6, scattered over five jails. Two prisoners died of cholera. In regard to health, the Burmans did not do well at Midnapore, Furreedpore, and Patna. Out of 31 imprisoned at Midnapore, 17 lost weight in spite of extra diet. The Burmans are very quick-tempered, require careful management, and are not likely to miss any chance of escape. As a rule, they are good workmen. The number punished departmentally was 434, against 450 in 1887. Only 14 were flogged. None were criminally prosecuted for any offence, and no escapes occurred.

12. There was a decrease in the number executed from 30 in 1887 to 21 in 1888. Two executions took place at each of the jails of Rungpore, Bankoora, and Tipperah, and in 15 other jails one each.

13. Out of 30,995 prisoners admitted, there were Hindoos 18,772, or 60·57 per cent.; Mahomedans 11,035, or 35·60 per cent.; Christians 371, or 1·19 per cent.; Buddhists 156, or 0·50 per cent.; and all other religions 661, or 2·14 per cent. Compared with the previous year, there is an increase in the percentage of Hindoos and a decrease in that of the Mahomedans. The other classes remain much the same.

14. The juveniles admitted in 1888 show a slight increase (306) as compared with 296 in 1887. Separate reports are submitted to Government on the Reformatory Schools, which continue to do a great deal of good work. The accommodation at the Hazaribagh Reformatory has been lately increased by 25 cells, and can be still further extended at little expense, if necessary. The number admitted to jails between the ages of 16 and 40 increased from 22,062 in 1887 to 22,892 in 1888. There was also an increase under the ages from 40 to 60 and over 60.

15. In regard to the previous occupation of those admitted, 17,432, or 58·54 per cent., had been employed in agriculture; 2,614, or 8·78 per cent., in service; 1,056, or 3·55 per cent., under Government or local authorities; and 6,104, or 20·50 per cent., are classed as miscellaneous. The figures compared with the results of the previous year vary very little.

16. On the 31st December 1888, the number remaining with sentences under one month was 572, or 4·47 per cent., against 455, or 3·81 per cent., on the same date of 1887. The percentage from above one month and not exceeding one year remains much the same as in 1887.

Nature of imprisonment and length of sentences.
Statement No. III, pages xx—xxxi.

17. This table shows the kind of imprisonment and length of sentence of convicts admitted compared with 1887. There is a decrease under the heads A and D and an increase under B and C:—

Nature of imprisonment of those admitted, as explained at foot.*	Not exceeding one month.	Above one month and not exceeding three months.	Above three months and not exceeding six months.	Above six months and not exceeding one year.	Above one year and not exceeding two years.	Above two years and not exceeding five years.	Above five years and not exceeding ten years.	Exceeding ten years.	SENTENCED TO TRANSPORTATION		Sentenced to death.	Total.
									For life.	For a term.		
A	1,681	284	89	136	1	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	2,148
B	10,504	6,942	4,708	3,316	1,867	1,073	323	4	90	58	35	28,716
C ... ..	...	...	...	9	27	22	...	...	...	...	...	64
D	8	2	8	13	36	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	73
Total of admissions ...	12,198	7,078	4,802	3,474	1,931	1,108	227	4	90	58	35	30,906
Total remaining on the 31st December 1886.	578	1,127	1,793	2,344	2,008	2,437	1,349	134	207	206	4	12,421

* A.—Prisoners sentenced to simple imprisonment.
B.—Prisoners sentenced to rigorous imprisonment.
C.—Prisoners sentenced to rigorous imprisonment with solitary confinement.
D.—Prisoners sentenced to rigorous imprisonment with whipping.

(B) or rigorous imprisonment shows a rise from 27,565 in 1887 to 28,716 in 1888. Out of 64 sentenced to (C) rigorous imprisonment and solitary confinement—28 were so punished at Chumparun, 5 at Sarun, 4 at Tipperah, and 3 each at Noakholly, Dacca, Gya, and Khoolna. No sentences of this class were inflicted at Monghyr, which headed the list in 1887. Those sentenced to (D), rigorous imprisonment with flogging, numbered 72, against 103 in the previous year. Patna returned 6 cases, Gya 5, Alipore and Shahabad 4 each, Dacca, Sarun and Cuttack 3 each, and subsidiary jails 24.

18. The number of females admitted was 1,218, against 1,280 in 1887 and 1,391 in 1886. Of these, 497 were married, 38 unmarried, 516 were widows, and 167 were prostitutes. In regard to religion, 802 were Hindoos and 337 were Mahomedans. The daily average was 331, against 262 in 1887. On the last day of 1886, the Jubilee remission left only 78 women in jails. At the end of the past year, 340 remained. No female escaped or was executed. There was a great increase in the number of deaths, 23 against 6 only in 1887. The chief mortality was—at Rajshahye 6, at Rungpore 3, at Mozufferpore 3, and at Purneah 2; whereas in 1887 not a single death occurred among females at these jails. Out of the total mortality, 8 died of cholera, viz., 4 at Rajshahye, 2 at Mozufferpore, and 1 each at Lohardugga and Rungpore. There was temporary overcrowding of the female wards at Darjeeling, Purneah, and Gya. The special ward at the Presidency Jail can accommodate 3 females.

19. The reconvictions admitted rose from 3,472, or 11·60 in 1887, to 3,612, or 11·65 per cent. in 1888. In 1886 the figures were 3,589, or 11·70 per cent. The largest number of reconvictions was—at Calcutta 445, Alipore 124, Gya 114, and Monghyr 83. The greatest increase occurred—at Gya 80, Calcutta 53, Hazaribagh 33, Rajshahye 31, Mymensingh 17, and Mozufferpore 16. Monghyr, which returned the largest numbers in 1887, heads the list for 1888 with a decrease of 66, or 9·22 per cent. Then follow Dinagepore 37, Bhagulpore 29, Lohardugga 23, Dacca and Backergunge 21 each.

20. The increase in the number of persons sent to jail for bad livelihood and in default of giving security continues. The figures for 1884 were 556; 1885, 659; 1886, 750; 1887, 838; and in 1888, 1,070. The largest numbers in 1888 under this head were returned by the following jails:—Sarun 45, Dinagepore 44, Darjeeling 38, Gya 30, Backergunge 27, and Mymensingh 26; whereas the figures for the same jails in 1887 were 49, 25, 3, 23, 2, and 11 respectively. The variation is very marked in four of these districts.

21. Out of 30,995 admitted, 26,855, or 86·64 per cent., could neither read nor write; 8,164, or 10·21 per cent., could read or write a little; and 976, or 3·15 per cent., were able to read and write well. The ratios of 1887 were 86·92, 9·66 and 3·42 respectively.

22. The number of boys under 16 years ordered to be judicially whipped increased from 377 in 1887 to 394 in 1888. The convicts sentenced to corporal punishment continue to decline in number—1886, 1,652; 1887, 1,373; and 1888, 1,234. The proportion for first offences in 1888 was 1,146, and for second and subsequent offences, 88. The offences, for which flogging was ordered, were—theft 1,057, or 85·7 per cent.; dishonestly receiving stolen property 83, or 6·7 per cent.; criminal house-trespass 24, or 1·9 per cent.; attempt at house-breaking 31, or 2·5 per cent.; all other offences 39, or 3·2 per cent. The number of stripes awarded varied from under 5 to 30. Out of the 1,234 punished, 5·1 per cent. received under 5 stripes, 28·4 per cent. 5 to 10, 26·7 per cent. 10 to 15, 17·4 per cent. 15 to 20, 13·2 per cent. 20 to 25, and 9·2 per cent. received 25 to 30 stripes. Of those whipped, 31·9 per cent. were under 16 years and 63·5 between 16 and 40 years. Imprisonment with whipping was ordered in 86 cases, and in 77·9 per cent. the period of imprisonment varied from 9 months to three years. Out of 1,234 who received corporal punishment, only 45 were able to read and write.

23. In the following table will be found a comparison of the statistics of under-trial prisoners for the past ten years:—

	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
Number of prisoners in jails and subsidiary jails on the last day of previous year	1,000	1,001	784	898	907	1,084	1,057	1,003	880	1,002
Total number admitted during the year	31,090	27,461	26,129	27,108	26,001	24,830	24,511	26,308	26,240	28,454
Total	32,170	28,462	26,913	27,996	27,908	26,914	25,568	27,311	27,120	29,456
Deduct transferred	1,917	1,766	1,054	2,143	1,641	1,026	1,080	1,771	2,020	2,015
convicted	16,907	14,154	12,852	13,024	12,220	14,482	14,450	13,003	12,808	13,814
released	12,378	11,720	11,478	11,770	12,047	12,740	12,117	11,544	11,548	12,603
escaped	17	21	7	4	13	10	0	6	6	5
died	61	39	34	80	34	40	47	27	20	43
Total discharged	31,177	27,679	26,023	26,999	26,004	26,857	26,505	26,031	26,118	28,340
Balance at the end of the year	1,001	784	898	907	1,084	1,057	1,003	880	1,002	1,116
Daily average number of prisoners	1,224	1,129	1,013	1,101	1,066	1,170	1,169	1,075	1,139	1,255

The decrease in the admissions of under-trials noted in the report for 1887 no longer continues. The figures have suddenly risen from 26,240 in 1887 to 28,454 in 1888. The daily average increased from 1,139 to 1,255. At the end of the year 1,116 remained, compared with 1,002 in 1887. The number convicted was 13,814, or 46·8 per cent., as against 12,508, or 46·1 per cent., in 1887. The releases were 12,463, or 42·3 per cent., against 11,548, or 42·5 per cent. The transfers numbered 2,015, including 10 prisoners (9 male and 1 female) transferred to lunatic asylums. The jails showing the largest daily number of under-trial prisoners were—Barrackpore 28·46, Furreedpore 24·46, and Pubna 23·53.

The accommodation for under-trial prisoners was found insufficient at the following jails:—Darjeeling, Monghyr, Cuttack, Alipore, Lohardugga, Patna, Shahabad, Furreedpore, Nuddea, Sarun, and the intermediate jails at Pubna, Singbhoom, Julpigoree, Pooree, Bankoora, and Manbhoom. The overcrowding was met by distributing the excess number in other buildings. The escapes of under-trial prisoners were 5 compared with 6 in each of the three preceding years. No prisoner, however, escaped from jail except one from Khoolna, who was recaptured within a few hours of his escape, and sentenced to three months' rigorous imprisonment. The warder in charge was judicially tried and sentenced to six weeks' simple imprisonment. The deaths numbered 43, against 36 in the previous year. The jails returning the highest number of deaths were—Alipore 3, Rungpore 3, Gya 3 (1 female), Julpigoree 2, Singbhoom 2, Cuttack 2 (1 female), Dinagepore 2

(1 female), Dacca 2 (1 suicide). Out of 27 who died in jails, 15 were admitted in bad health, 6 in indifferent, and 5 only in good health. One under-trial male committed suicide at Dacca. In 85 subsidiary jails, 16 under-trial prisoners died.

24. The average period of detention of under-trial prisoners of all classes at jails and subsidiary jails was 16·14 days, against 17·75 in the previous year. The longest detention occurred—at Furreedpore 37·53 days, Dacca 30·03, Pubna 28·71, Julpigoree 26·17, Khoolna 24·25, and Balasore 23·54. The shortest detentions were at Alipore, Hooghly, Shahabad, Gya, Singbhoom, Maldah, and Moorshedabad, where the period at each was under 15 days. Taking the sessions hajuts separately, the average period of detention was 44·39 days, varying from 13·72 at Pooree to 82·29 at Julpigoree. Under present arrangements it is very rare for a hajut prisoner to be unduly detained without some good reason. The following statement shows in detail the average detention of sessions under-trial prisoners only :—

Longest period of detention.	In days.	Shortest period of detention.	In days.
Julpigoree	82-29	Hooghly	38-68
Hazaribagh	72-68	Rajshahye	38-45
Furreedpore	71-56	Shahabad	38-43
Cuttack	62-54	Saran	37-21
Balasore	62-41	Mymensingh	35-55
Singbhoom	60-02	Noakholly	33-00
Chittagong	58-45	Gya	32-71
Pubna	57-90	Moorshedabad	32-52
Bogra	57-27	Rungpore	31-04
Khoolna	56-53	Mozufferpore	31-00
Patna	55-43	Dinapore	31-67
Jessore	52-81	Midnapore	30-53
Presidency— <i>European</i>	52-25	Beerbhoom	29-35
Manbhoom	49-86	Nuddea	28-81
Durbhunga	49-76	Alipore	28-48
Maldah	48-00	Purneah	25-54
Bhagulpore	47-43	Ohumparun	18-55
Monghyr	47-43	Pooree	13-72
Tipperah	44-71		
Dacca	43-74		
Presidency— <i>Native</i>	42-93		
Darjeeling	42-92	Total for all jails	44-39
Bakergungo	42-85		
Lohardugga	41-30		
Burdwan	41-00		

25. In May 1888 a new law in regard to imprisonment for debt came into force, and has already resulted in greatly reducing the number of civil prisoners. At the end of 1887 there remained 258, and only 1,502 were admitted during the past year, against 3,054 in 1887. The releases numbered 1,691, 20 were transferred, and one was convicted, leaving only 48 at the end of the year. None died or escaped. The daily average strength fell from 203.33 in 1887 to 97.06 in 1888.

26. No State prisoners were confined in Bengal jails during 1888.

CHAPTER II.—JAIL BUILDINGS.

27. The following table shows the amount of the jail grant for works under all heads, and the sums expended during the calendar year, January to December 1888 :—

	GRANTS FOR 1888-89.				EXPENDITURE FROM JANUARY TO DECEMBER 1888.			
	Major original works.	Minor works.	Repairs.	Total.	Major original works.	Minor works.	Repairs.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Central jails ...	96,100	19,000*	29,900†	2,50,230	94,790	1,473	29,798‡	1,17,067
District and intermediate jails ...	...		55,400		6,954	2,118	44,839	53,911
Subsidiary jails ...	30,500		19,420		57,373	1,549	11,164§	70,106
Total	1,26,600	19,000	1,04,620	2,50,230	1,59,223	5,140	76,481	2,40,344

* Excluding Rs. 1,000 transferred from this to the head of "Petty construction and repairs"—vide Government order No. P ^G/₃, dated the 19th December 1888.

† Including Rs. 5,000 for the Reformatory School at Hasaribagh.

‡ Including Rs. 342 for the Reformatory School at Alipore.

§ Including Rs. 104 and Rs. 67 for Mysore and Juggutalipore, respectively.

It will be seen from the above statement that there is an increase of expenditure of Rs. 30,604 under the head of original major works compared with the figures for 1887. In the Presidency Jail the inner skin wall cost Rs. 2,055, the corrugated iron shed Rs. 29,916, pipes for filtered water Rs. 6,254, latrines Rs. 3,385, and roofing of the feeding platform Rs. 6,194. In the Bhagulpore Jail Rs. 14,226 were expended for six double-storied barracks, and at Buxar the upper story to the weaving shed cost Rs. 14,929. At Dacca the double-storied barracks were erected at a cost of Rs. 11,056, and Rs. 8,165 were expended for a residence for the Superintendent. In the Kurseong Subsidiary Jail, Rs. 4,449 were expended in the erection of a pucca enclosure wall. On the new Subsidiary Jail buildings at Gaibanda, Rajbari, Attia, Kishoregunge, Cox's Bazar, Samastipore, Arracah and Deoghur, Rs. 42,920 were expended during the year.

28. The daily average number of prisoners employed on jail buildings was 1,334, against 1,124 in 1887. The following jails employed the largest number of prisoners :—

Dacca ...	458	Presidency	84
Bhagulpore ...	183	Rajahmundry	59
Buxar ...	111	Midnapore	47

29. The amount placed at my disposal for minor works was increased from Rs. 6,000 in 1886-87 and Rs. 10,000 in 1887-88 to Rs. 20,000 in 1888-89. Out of this sum I obtained sanction to the transfer of Rs. 1,000 to the head of petty construction and repairs. The whole of the grant for minor works was appropriated before the end of the year.

CHAPTER III.—GUARDS AND ESCAPES.

30. Owing to the reduction of 14 district jails to the new intermediate class from the 1st January 1888, the number of head-warders and warders was reduced to 1,584, against 1,707 in the previous year. Complaints have been received from the following intermediate jails that the reduced staff of 2 head-warders and 8 warders was not equal to requirements, and extra warders and convict officers had to be sanctioned for a time at any rate:—Bankoora, Khoolna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Noakholly, Balasore, and Manbhoom. The area covered by some of these intermediate jails is very large, and this greatly increases the difficulty of guarding with only ten men, and with so small a number there is little margin left for sickness and leave and no time for drill. In some of the larger of these jails, and in those where the population cannot be kept low, I think it may ultimately be found necessary to permanently increase the paid guard.

31. The general improvement in the paid warder establishment continues, and in many jails the state of drill is very creditable.

32. A good deal of sickness occurred among the warders at Chumparun, Nuddea, Backergunge, Rungpore, and Midnapore. Although the warders at Chumparun were allowed to sleep in the upper story of one of the new jail barracks, the general health has not improved. The fault evidently lies in the water they drink. Instead of using the river water, like the prisoners, most of them stick to well water on caste grounds, as the river water is brought in carts.

33. The total number of head-warders and warders employed during 1888 was 1,584. The punishments inflicted on paid warders were as follows:—

Nature of the offences.	Number of offences committed.	Nature of the punishments.	Number of punishments inflicted.
<i>Criminal.</i>			
Negligently suffering the escape of prisoners	18	Judicial	18
Introducing or allowing forbidden articles into jail	17	Dismissal	81
Making false reports	10	Degradation and suspension ...	73
Assaulting prisoners	27	Fine	804
Stealing jail property	18	Extra drill	236
		Warning or censure	469
		Transfer	11
		Forfeiture of privilege leave for one year	16
		Reduction in order of merit ...	19
		Payment of salary deferred ...	1
		Total	1,815
<i>Departmental.</i>			
Absence from duty	158		
Sleeping on duty	201		
Neglect of duty	689		
Refusal to go on transfer to other jails	7		
Continuous disobedience of orders ...	103		
Dirty arms, accoutrements, or clothing	67		
Leaving the line without permission	97		
Being without uniform or not falling in to present arms to the Superintendents	22		
Quarrelling with other warders ...	58		
Not attending drill	40		
Insubordination	100		
Allowing prisoners to make a noise ...	28		
Backward in drill	64		
Miscellaneous	94		
Total	1,815		

There is a great reduction in the number of offences compared with the former years, which is a satisfactory sign—1885, 3,133; 1886, 2,715; 1887, 2,359; 1888, 1,815. The chief departmental offences were “general neglect of duty” and “sleeping on duty.” The judicial punishments numbered 18, against 16 in 1887. The number dismissed from the service was 81, against 103 in 1887.

34. The escapes of convicts from jails and subsidiary jails during 1888 were 21, against 13 in 1887 and 17 in 1886. If

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it had not been for the extraordinary escape of a gang of 8 convicts from the Darjeeling Jail, the number would have been the same as in the previous year. At Darjeeling, on the 9th July last, about 11 p.m., 8 long-term prisoners, 3 Bhooteahs, and 5 Pahariahs, got clean away from the bakery after murdering the convict warder. One of the prisoners was recaptured shortly after escape, and another was caught by the Nepaul authorities. A detailed report was submitted at the time. Another prisoner, sent in charge of a convict overseer to supply water to the Darjeeling Jail staff, escaped while so employed, and is still at large. The convict overseer was sentenced to a fine of Rs. 200, or in default six months' simple imprisonment. Two prisoners escaped from the solitary cells in the Cuttack Jail, one of whom was recaptured. The warder in charge was sentenced to a year's simple imprisonment, and the acting chief head warder was degraded. At Chumparun a convict night-watchman escaped from the garden. The warder at fault was sentenced to a fine of Rs. 25 or three months' simple imprisonment. A prisoner at Midnapore escaped through an aperture in one of the solitary cells, then broke into a workshop and provided himself with materials for a rough ladder which he made and scaled the wall. The head-warder was degraded. Strange to say, the escaped prisoner was afterwards caught in the act of stealing clothing from the guard-house at the Presidency Jail, and was sentenced at the Calcutta sessions to transportation for life. At Rajshahye an escape took place from the garden. The warder in charge was sentenced to six months' simple imprisonment, but was acquitted on appeal. The prisoner was subsequently recaptured, and got three months' rigorous imprisonment. At Pubna a prisoner escaped through the carelessness of the gatekeeper, who was sentenced to ten days' simple imprisonment. Out of these 15 escapes, 11 occurred from inside and 4 from outside the jails. Out of the grand total of 21 escapes, 6 took place from subsidiary jails. The average number of escapes from 1871 to 1879 was 97, whereas from 1880 to 1888 the average was only 24.

35. Of those who escaped during the year, 9 were recaptured, and also 4

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of those who had escaped in previous years. In regard to length of sentence, 9 of the escaped prisoners had under one year to serve, 11 had above one year and under seven, and one was a life-prisoner. The 13 recaptures were made under the following circumstances—by villagers 3; on return to their homes 3; by the police 2; by the jail warders 4; and by the Nepaul authorities 1.

CHAPTER IV.—PRISON DISCIPLINE.

36. The system of classifying convicts so as to segregate female, juvenile, under-trial and civil prisoners has worked satisfactorily. Every endeavour is made to separate

Classification. habituais from prisoners convicted for the first time during sleeping hours, and also during the period they are employed at work during the day. The new rules entrusting the classification of prisoners to the Court and to District Magistrates have been in force throughout the year, and few warrants had to be returned to sentencing officers for revision. In the Darjeeling Jail, where the space is limited, some difficulty has been experienced in the separation of civil and under-trial female prisoners, and the segregation of habituais from A class prisoners, particularly during working hours. At Dacca some B class prisoners were permitted to work in the A yard, and in the Bhagulpore Jail the Superintendent reports that no separate accommodation is available for adolescent prisoners. This difficulty exists in most other jails in Bengal. At Jessore it has been found impossible to completely separate the A and B class prisoners during working hours.

37. The number of offences committed by convicts was 29,064, against 35,824 in 1887. The percentage of offences to the daily average population was 234·8 in 1888, compared with 328·4 in 1887. If the total number of individual prisoners who passed through the jail is considered, 46·0 per cent. committed some offence during their time of imprisonment, against 59·8 in 1887 and 65·5 in 1886. The average duration of imprisonment for convicts in the jails of Bengal was 71 days, compared with 66 in 1887 and 79 in 1886. The number of serious offences, such as escapes, assault on jail officials, immorality of a gross description, introduction of forbidden articles, and attempts at escapes, for which convicts were prosecuted before a court of justice, was 39. The number in 1887 was 46. The number of offences against jail rules also shows a satisfactory decrease.

Punishments.

38. The following statement shows the statistics in regard to punishments for the last five years:—

	By criminal courts.	By JAIL OFFICERS.					Total punishments.	Ratio per cent. of total punishments to daily average number of prisoners.	Ratio per cent. of corporal punishment to total number of all other punishments inflicted on male prisoners.
		Solitary confinement.	Reduced diet.	Solitary confinement with reduced diet.	Corporal punishment.	All other punishments.			
1888	29	1,295	525	352	245	25,008	29,064	324·71	0·96
1887	44	1,599	969	251	396	25,006	35,824	328·41	0·78
1886	66	2,504	1,015	489	394	24,045	40,504	290·88	1·01
1885	71	3,338	2,488	673	347	63,081	69,799	354·93	0·73
1884	85	3,688	3,973	223	345	67,945	85,588	412·91	0·68

Twenty-nine punishments were inflicted by criminal courts, which number is small compared with the figures for 1887 and with those of the four previous years. There has been a decrease in the number of prisoners punished with solitary confinement. The figures for 1888 were 1,295, compared with 1,599 in 1887. The number under the head "Solitary confinement with reduced diet" has increased from 251 in 1887 to 352 in 1888. This form of punishment has been found effective in the case of persistent idlers and contumacious prisoners, who are not strong enough to be whipped, and is resorted to on Sundays, when no work is exacted from them.

39. The number of convicts punished with stripes was 245 compared with 266 in 1887 and 396 in 1886. This result is very satisfactory, and shows that serious offences in jail have diminished. There were 16 jails in Bengal where corporal punishment

was not resorted to at all. The statement below shows the number of prisoners who were whipped for each quarter of the year 1888 :—

1	2	3	4						5	6	7	8
	Total number of male prisoners for this quarter.	Total number of jail offences.	Total number of prisoners punished by whipping.						Percentage of grand total of column 4 to column 2.	Percentage of grand total of column 4 to column 3.	Number of prisoners in whose cases death was directly or indirectly the effect of whipping.	Number of prisoners in whose cases illness was directly or indirectly the effect of whipping.
			Five to 10 stripes.	Above 10 and not above 15 stripes.	Above 15 and not above 20 stripes.	Above 20 and not above 25 stripes.	Above 25 and not above 30 stripes.	Grand total.				
1st quarter, 1888 ...	19,455	6,784	1	5	39	8	17	63	0.23	0.29	.....	1
2nd ditto ...	20,327	8,923	1	13	24	9	16	63	0.39	0.35	.....	1
3rd ditto ...	20,010	7,634	2	11	27	9	18	67	0.31	0.36	.....	.....
4th ditto ...	21,147	8,959	2	10	24	7	8	51	0.24	0.25	.....	.....
Total ...	20,718	28,323	6	39	114	33	57	245	0.61	0.56	.....	3

Six prisoners were punished with from five to ten stripes. In the cases of those convicts on whom less than ten stripes were inflicted, they either promised to behave properly before that number was reached, or the Medical Officer did not consider them fit to bear ten stripes when the flogging was being administered. In the Dacca Jail two prisoners were admitted into hospital suffering from sores on the buttocks, the result of the whipping, they being detained in hospital for treatment—one for 19 days and the other for one month and 18 days.

40. The statement given below shows the details of the punishments included under the head "Other punishments":—

	Detail of punishments included under the head "Other punishments" in column 6C of statement VI.
Handcuffs ...	9,202
Fetters ...	8,759
Loss of marks ...	4,785
Gunny clothing ...	1,482
Penal or hard labour ...	680
Loss of early morning meal ...	189
Work in cells ...	87
Reduction and degradation of prison officers ...	584
Shaving the heads and cutting the hair of female convicts ...	101
All other miscellaneous punishments ...	643
Total	26,546

41. The following table explains the nature of cases and the length of Imposition of fetters on convicts. time for which fetters were worn :—

NATURE OF CASES IN WHICH FETTERS WERE IMPOSED OR WORN.	LENGTH OF TIME FOR WHICH FETTERS WERE IMPOSED OR WORN.											
	Under one month.		One to three months.		Three to six months.		Six to twelve months.		Over twelve months.		Total.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
PART I.												
<i>As a punishment for offences against prison discipline.</i>												
(1) By order of Magistrate ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(2) By order of the Jail Superintendent.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
For smoking or having possession of forbidden articles.	508	.....	222	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	509	.....
Offences relating to work	2,930	.....	721	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,659	.....
Other offences against prison discipline.	2,051	.....	523	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	2,594	.....
PART II.												
<i>For safe custody</i>	3	.....	14	.....	4	.....	7	.....	37	.....	64	.....
GRAND TOTAL	7,108	.....	1,549	.....	48	.....	7	.....	38	.....	8,725	.....

The number fettered for safe custody was 64, compared with 119 in 1887. The prisoners placed in irons for less than one month were so punished for short work, while those fettered for over 12 months were either dangerous

prisoners, sentenced to transportation, who could not be sent to the Andamans on account of their health, or convicts who could not be flogged or sentenced to other forms of punishment for persistent bad conduct in jail.

42. Statement VIII shows that with a daily average population for all jails of 12,047 male and 331 female prisoners, there were employed as convict officers 715·84 males and 2·56 females. The percentage of convict officers for males was 5·93 in 1888, compared with 4·34 in 1887. The large increase in the number is attributable to the inclusion in this year's figures of convict warders who were employed in the different jails of Bengal. The following jails have exceeded the number that had been fixed by Dr. Lethbridge:—Darjeeling, Durbhunga, Jessore, Dinagepore, Nuddea, Chittagong, Furreedpore, Dacca, Mozufferpore, Backergunge, Alipore, Lohardugga, and Mymensingh. Convict officers were employed in the following intermediate jails:—Bancoora, Khoolna, Bogra, Jalpaiguri, Noakholly, Balasore, and Manbhoom.

43. The number of convict officers punished was 1,488, against 1,368 in 1887 and 1,868 in 1886. The percentage of punishments to total average number employed as prison officers was therefore 200·7 compared with 204·2 in 1887. The result is satisfactory.

44. The new mark rules have been in force for the whole year. The number of prisoners who failed to earn any marks was 5, compared with 6 in the year 1887. Judging from the reports, the mark system continues to work satisfactorily, and prison officers in particular appear to appreciate the benefit of the mark system. The following table shows the average remission gained by prisoners sentenced to various terms of imprisonment in jails for the last four years:—

		Two years exactly.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Not exceeding 4 years.	Not exceeding 5 years.	Not exceeding 6 years.	Not exceeding 7 years.	Not exceeding 8 years.	Not exceeding 9 years.	Not exceeding 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years.
1886	...	45	57	80	118	138	162	173	164	262	283
1886	...	44	55	84	118	119	193	196	196	245	256
1887	...	45	57	80	118	138	162	173	164	262	283
1888	...	46	63	92	130	135	213	167	163	269	187

CHAPTER V.—EXPENDITURE.

Gross expenditure for jails and subsidiary jails.

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45. The gross expenditure for jails and subsidiary jails in Bengal for 1888 is given in the following table, and is compared with the expenditure for the nine previous years :—

	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
General supervision...	44,808	47,343	49,342	48,931	45,986	47,018	48,207	49,391	49,108	50,351
Dieting prisoners...	4,91,844	3,81,733	2,93,967	3,00,138	3,16,649	3,57,513	3,68,396	3,34,687	3,44,730	3,08,680
Establishment (excluding the police)	3,92,394	4,04,781	3,90,336	4,25,511	4,54,276	4,36,138	4,42,663	4,67,456	4,90,864	4,35,888
Hospital charges...	44,533	39,820	38,134	42,299	40,947	39,227	40,383	42,909	34,008	40,836
Clothing...	65,611	72,681	53,234	64,686	50,423	53,614	69,744	60,051	64,273	59,304
Miscellaneous contingencies...	1,01,506	1,05,645	82,149	86,315	85,020	90,361	1,03,216	1,02,139	96,845	1,28,892
Petty construction and repairs...	25,328	23,723	19,655	21,440	19,444	21,715	27,777	28,633	27,324	25,842
Police...	57,809	43,786	39,813	31,840	3,701	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stationery...	1,367	1,400	1,344	2,084	1,441	.....	2,302	1,405	1,403	1,229
Medical stores...	.....	.....	5,116	5,915	4,740	5,000	7,545	6,352	6,939	5,380
Total ...	12,37,151	11,35,874	9,82,107	10,36,212	10,32,695	10,50,490	11,10,423	10,93,361	9,08,033	10,68,161
Daily average population of all classes	18,601	18,001	16,747	16,155	15,028	15,101	15,176	14,806	12,250	13,731
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Average expenditure per prisoner	66 8 0	62 8 8	58 10 3	64 2 3	68 11 7	69 15 4	73 9 0	73 13 6	70 0 4	77 12 4
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Public Works Department	3,21,142	2,71,500	7,38,203	10,10,781	8,07,718	1,09,739	60,607	92,804	1,88,353	2,40,344

The gross expenditure, excluding the amount expended by the Public Works Department, was Rs. 10,68,161, against Rs. 9,08,033 in 1887. An increase is shown under the following heads:—General supervision, Dieting of prisoners, Hospital charges, Clothing, and Miscellaneous contingencies. The increase under General supervision is attributable to the annual increments to the pay of my office establishment and to the officiating allowance drawn by the Superintendent of the Alipore Jail during the time he acted as Inspector-General. The increase under other heads of charges will be explained later on.

46. The following table compares the figures for central, district, and intermediate jails only. A comparison is also made between the results for 1888 and those of the nine previous years :—

Expenditure for central, district, and intermediate jails only.
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	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Dieting prisoners...	4,69,798	3,66,631	2,82,091	2,92,602	3,03,322	3,40,045	3,49,651	3,10,203	2,28,416	2,77,222
Establishment (excluding the police)	3,51,003	3,53,791	3,46,257	3,76,450	4,06,947	3,44,141	3,74,763	4,07,804	4,08,611	3,65,226
Hospital charges...	46,123	39,308	37,030	42,034	40,771	39,071	40,142	42,704	35,750	40,032
Clothing...	64,334	72,665	53,049	64,231	50,169	54,814	69,497	59,920	44,067	59,309
Miscellaneous contingencies...	59,579	92,463	71,168	78,384	82,705	76,829	98,360	57,010	51,190	1,09,218
Petty construction and repairs...	31,573	24,799	15,922	16,819	15,301	17,214	23,404	22,431	22,543	21,900
Police...	49,448	43,706	39,515	31,240	3,701	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	11,09,167	9,95,743	8,49,832	9,01,780	9,02,515	9,30,215	9,73,167	9,39,672	8,12,376	9,04,610
Daily average population	17,301	17,322	16,092	15,404	14,351	14,354	14,449	14,101	11,492	12,444
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Average expenditure per prisoner	61 8 2	57 10 6	52 12 9	58 5 7	62 16 6	64 1 5	67 5 5	66 9 11	70 12 3	70 8 1

The expenditure under every item shows an increase as compared with that of the previous year except for repairs to jail buildings and for establishment

Under the latter head a saving of Rs. 5,387 has been effected. As regards diet and hospital charges, the increase in the expenditure compared with the year 1887 is due to an increase in the daily average number of prisoners and to the high prices paid for cereals throughout the year. The daily average number of prisoners was 11,482 in 1887, while in 1888 it was 12,884.

Average rate.

47. The statement below shows the prices paid for the chief articles of diet that were purchased:—

	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rice	1 14 10	1 13 8	2 1 8	2 8 7	2 8 2	1 15 1
Wheat (four)	2 0 9	2 5 4	3 15 8	4 0 3	4 4 2	4 3 2
Maize	1 10 8	1 7 0	1 9 6	1 11 1	1 12 10	1 7 3
Dal	2 3 2	2 0 8	2 5 9	2 7 9	2 6 10	2 6 5
Meat	6 2 9	6 3 0	7 14 0	7 8 3	7 11 3	7 13 5
Fish	6 0 0	6 14 8	7 5 9	7 9 8	7 6 7	8 1 0
Salt	3 16 0	3 4 8	3 5 3	3 4 5	3 5 8	3 5 9

Expenditure for diet in each jail compared.

48. The following statement shows the expenditure per prisoner for diet in each jail compared with the average rate for the year 1887:—

JAILS.	1886.	1887.	JAILS.	1888.	1887.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Presidency—European	01 6 2	07 1 7	Burdwan	20 5 2	18 4 8
Darjeeling	35 0 8	29 8 2	Manbhum	20 4 0	18 2 5
Gya	25 9 11	23 10 7	Chittagong	20 1 4	23 3 10
Alipore—District and Central	24 3 3	21 2 10	Singbhum	20 0 8	13 10 3
Presidency—District and Central	23 9 3	21 5 2	Cuttack	19 11 6	19 2 4
Lohardugga	23 8 7	19 8 2	Mozufferpore	19 2 2	18 4 9
Hamaribesh	23 8 2	17 2 7	Midnapore—District and Central	19 1 6	21 2 8
Patna	22 10 5	18 1 6	Jessore	18 13 7	17 9 9
Rhagulpore—District and Central	22 10 2	21 8 1	Nuddea	18 7 0	22 4 8
Dacca—District and Central	22 8 5	22 11 6	Khoolna	18 8 5	18 7 2
Julpigore	22 6 8	23 2 9	Bachergunge	17 18 2	20 3 5
Hoghly	22 4 7	21 8 5	Furzedpore	17 7 10	17 6 4
Mymensingh	22 1 4	22 12 0	Chumparun	17 2 5	13 9 7
Buxar—Central	21 12 11	18 14 5	Monghyr	17 0 4	13 10 6
Durbhanga	21 10 5	18 2 11	Bankura	16 12 4	17 11 9
Beerbhoom	21 1 11	17 9 7	Dinapore	16 9 9	15 12 6
Sarun	21 0 10	18 0 10	Maldah	16 8 0	14 12 1
Naikholly	20 18 10	20 8 0	Rungpore	16 5 1	15 14 2
Poorne	20 13 10	16 13 10	Tipperah	16 1 1	19 2 8
Baharore	20 13 0	18 11 5	Furneah	16 4 10	14 1 6
Rajahmhye—District and Central	20 12 8	18 9 10	Bogra	16 0 2	13 15 9
Rajahmhye	20 10 6	19 2 2			
Moorshedabad	20 8 1	18 12 9			
Fabua	20 7 4	19 10 11			
			Total	21 10 10	20 4 0

The average cost for central, district, and intermediate jails was Rs. 21-10-10, against Rs. 20-4-0 in 1887, showing an increase of Re. 1-6-10 per prisoner. Leaving out of consideration the Presidency European Jail, where the cost of dieting Europeans is exceptional, and the Darjeeling Jail, where the charges for feeding prisoners are always heavy, there are twelve jails which show an average cost higher than the total average for Bengal.

Comparison of expenditure on diet in neighbouring jails.

49. I annex tables showing the comparative expenditure on diet in the jails of each Division:—

Presidency Division and Calcutta.

	1887.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Khoolna	...	18 2 6	18 7 2
Nuddea	...	18 7 0	23 4 2
Jessore	...	18 13 7	17 9 9
Moorshedabad	...	20 8 1	18 12 9
Presidency—District and Central	...	23 9 2	21 6 2
Alipore—District and Central	...	24 3 3	21 2 10

Burdwan Division.

	1887.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Bankura	...	16 12 4	17 11 9
Midnapore—District and Central	...	19 1 6	21 2 2
Burdwan	...	20 5 2	15 14 2
Beerbhoom	...	21 1 11	17 9 7
Hoghly	...	22 4 7	21 8 5

	1886. Rs. A. P.	1887 Rs. A. P.
<i>Orissa Division.</i>		
Cuttack	19 11 5	19 2 0
Balasore	20 13 0	18 11 5
Pooroo	20 13 10	16 12 10
<i>Rajshahye Division.</i>		
Bogra	14 0 2	13 16 9
Rungpore	16 5 1	15 14 2
Dinagepore	16 9 9	15 12 6
Pubna	20 7 4	19 10 11
Rajshahye—District and Central ..	20 12 8	18 9 10
Julpigoree	22 6 8	22 8 9
<i>Dacca Division.</i>		
Furreedpore ...	17 7 10	17 6 4
Backergunge ...	17 13 2	20 8 5
Mymensingh ...	22 1 4	22 12 0
Dacca—District and Central	22 6 5	22 11 6
<i>Chittagong Division.</i>		
Tipperah	16 1 1	19 2 8
Chittagong	19 2 9*	21 9 8
Noakholly	20 15 10	20 8 0
<i>Bhagulpore Division.</i>		
Purneah	14 4 10	14 1 6
Maldah	16 8 0	14 12 1
Monghyr	17 0 4	18 10 6
Bhagulpore—District and Central	22 5 6*	21 8 1
<i>Patna Division—North.</i>		
Chumparun	17 2 5	13 9 7
Mozufferpore	19 2 2	18 4 9
Sarun	21 0 10	14 0 10
Durbhunga	21 10 5	18 2 11
<i>Patna Division—South.</i>		
Shahabad ..	20 10 6	10 2 2
Buxar—Central	21 10 8*	18 12 10
Patna	22 10 5	18 1 6
Gya	25 9 11	23 10 7
<i>Chota Nagpore Division.</i>		
Singbhoom	20 0 9	13 10 3
Manbhoom	20 4 6	16 2 5
Hasaribagh	23 5 11*	17 2 7
Lohardugga	23 8 7	19 8 8

In certain jails I discovered that the rates shown in the weekly price lists, which were circulated to all Superintendents, were obtained from the Collector's office, and were not very reliable. I have now discontinued the issue of these weekly statements, and circulate instead of them a monthly statement comparing the jails arranged in each division of Bengal, which show the average expenditure for diet including hospital charges. This enables me to know the jails that are expensively managed, and to transfer those jailors who have not observed economy before it is too late. By a comparison of the results of these monthly statements I noticed the high expenditure in the following jails:—Alipore, Presidency, Berhampore, Beerbhoom, Burdwan, Hooghly, Pooroo, Balasore, Rajshahye, Gya, Monghyr, Singbhoom, and Ranchee. The explanations received from these jails were generally satisfactory. The cause of the high expenditure was due to the high price of cereals and to the liberal issue of animal food to prisoners admitted in bad health. The only jails in which no

* This rate is obtained after deducting the cost of diet for European prisoners.

increase in expenditure is shown are the Presidency (European), Bhagulpore, Mymensingh, Chittagong, Midnapore, Nuddea, Burrisal, Bankoora and Tipperah jails. The following jails showed the most remarkable reductions:—

					1888.	1887.
					Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Tipperah	...	...	...	...	16 1 1	19 2 8
Burrisal	...	...	...	...	17 13 2	20 3 5
Nuddea	...	...	...	...	18 7 0	23 4 8
Midnapore	...	...	...	...	19 1 6	21 2 8
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	20 1 6	23 3 10

The low expenditure in the Tipperah Intermediate Jail is reported to be the low average rate paid for rice and other cereals. A large reduction was also made for fuel, which was supplied from the jail garden. At Burrisal rice and dāl were obtained at a low price. Dhan was also stored during the cheap season of the year. The prices paid for rice and dāl during the year were Re. 1-11-6 and Re. 1-12-11 respectively, against Re. 1-14-3 and Re. 1-14-5 in 1887. At Nuddea rice and dāl were obtained from the jail garden to the extent of Rs. 229. Dhan was also purchased and stored during the cheap season of the year. In the Midnapore Jail rice and dāl were purchased at a cheap rate for the use of the prisoners from the interior. The average price paid for these articles of diet was also lower than that for 1887. Fuel was also obtained at a cheap rate, and condiments to the value of Rs. 210 were obtained from the jail garden. The reduction in the cost of cereals throughout the year accounts for the low average cost at Chittagong. The price of rice per maund in 1887 was Rs. 2-1-5, whereas in 1888 it was Re. 1-12-5.

50. In the jails at Rajshahye, Burdwan, and Khoolna, vegetables costing Rs. 52 were purchased from the market owing to dryness of the climate and to the insufficient rainfall.

51. The following statement will show the cost of vegetables and other products obtained from the jail gardens by prison labour. The total sum amounts to Rs. 36,284:—

						Rs.
Vegetables	...	...	...	...	...	29,187
Fuel	...	...	...	...	...	2,200
Condiments, including tamarind, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	1,746
DAL (pulses)	...	...	...	...	...	1,079
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	1,043
Rice	...	...	...	...	...	807
Other miscellaneous products	...	...	...	...	...	253
Total						36,284

52. The total cost of establishment was Rs. 3,95,224 compared with Rs. 4,00,611 in 1887, showing a decrease of Rs. 5,387 in the year under report—

	EXPENDITURE.		Increase.	Decrease.
	1888.	1887.		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Superintendents, Assistant Superintendents, and Deputy Superintendents.	1,64,977	1,64,116	6,861	.....
Jailors, Deputy and Assistant Jailors	1,02,139	1,04,937	.....	2,798
Native Doctors and compounders	13,904	15,105	.....	1,211
Warder staff	1,34,114	1,41,003	.....	6,889
Total	3,95,224	4,00,611	.....	5,387

The decrease is attributable to the conversion of 14 district jails to the position of intermediate jail. It will be seen that all heads of expenditure, except that under Superintendents, Assistant Superintendents, and Deputy Superintendents, shew a satisfactory decrease, and a further decrease will be shown when the jailors in excess of the numbers now required in Bengal are transferred to the Registration Department. The increase of Rs. 6,861 for Superintendents and other officers is due to annual increments and to acting

allowances paid to Assistant Superintendents who officiated for Superintendents on privilege leave. The house-rent of Rs. 150 a month for the Superintendent of the Dacca Jail has also been included in the charges under this item of expenditure.

53. The average cost for hospital charges has increased from Rs. 68-3-11 in 1887 to Rs. 76-6-0 in 1888. The increase is the result of a more liberal scale of diet allowed to sick prisoners, convalescents, and convicts admitted into jail in bad and indifferent health. The average number of sick prisoners increased from 523-84 in 1887 to 610-54 in 1888.

54. The cost of clothing prisoners increased from Rs. 44,067 in 1887 to Rs. 58,309 in 1888. This increase is attributable to the increase in the number of prisoners and to the issue of new clothing during the year. The average cost under this head exceeded that of 1887 by Re. 0-10-5 per prisoner.

55. The following statement compares the expenses for 1888 under the head Contingencies with the results of the two previous years:—

	1886.	1887.	1888.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cash drawn by Superintendents	76,766	84,893	87,598
Cost of articles supplied by Manufacturing Department	27,192	23,847	26,220
Travelling allowance of jail officials	5,255	3,160	3,192
Total	1,09,213	81,190	87,010

The total increase is the result of the frequent transfers of prisoners from intermediate and district jails to central jails, which amounted to Rs. 3,871, the payment of municipal taxes for jail buildings, which is shewn to be Rs. 11,537, and Rs. 2,105 to the travelling expenses of Assistant Superintendents, Jailors, Deputy and Assistant Jailors and members of the wardor staff sent for service from one jail to another. The travelling expenses of the Civil Hospital Assistants sent to do duty in jails has also been included in these figures, and this was not the case in previous years. The details under the head Cash drawn by Superintendents are given in the following statement:—

	Lighting charges	Diet of defendants, &c.	Office furniture and service postage stamp.	Miscellaneous dietary charges.	Conservancy charges.	Transfer charges.	All other charges.	Total
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1886	6,779	8,445	2,785	6	919	16,200	45,646	70,760
1887	6,510	9,061	2,608	22	861	11,838	23,585	54,665
1888	6,064	7,006	2,778	23	1,540	11,151	29,542	57,556

The increase in the "lighting charges" is due to the supply of new hurricane lanterns. The increase under "transfer charges" has already been explained. As regards increase under head "All other charges," the details given below will satisfactorily explain it:—

	1886.	1887.	1888.		1886.	1887.	1888.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Municipal tax	14,784	6,197	4,664	Weighting machine	505	292	..
Seeds	1,300	887	1,500	Reward for recapturing prisoners	499	270	..
Freight on clothing and furniture	1,500	739	1,165	Padlocks	417	1,004	200
Cover, carts, and bullocks	1,315	1,260	1,264	Lawn mower	86	..	..
Ground rent	1,810	695	2,402	Pump for drawing water	68	157	..
Boats for wardens	700	1,275	1,201	Iron	47	50	123

56. The charges under this head show a decrease of Rs. 743. The expenditure for 1887 was Rs. 22,543, whereas in 1888 it was Rs. 21,800 only.

Petty construction and repairs.

57. The following statement shows the comparative economy in expenditure under the heads "Diet," "Hospital charges" and "Clothing":—

JAILA.										Average cost per prisoner during 1986.	JAILA.										Average cost per prisoner during 1986.
										Rs. A. P.											Rs. A. P.
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 8 2	Singbhum	...	...	...	...	...	29 14 9
Maldah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 6 1	Hazaribagh	...	...	...	...	...	28 1 5
Bankoora	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 9 4	Buxar—Central	...	...	...	...	...	28 2 1
Tipperah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 11 11	Moorshedabad	...	...	...	...	...	29 3 7
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 8 9	Jalpigoree	...	...	...	...	...	29 9 7
Furness	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 3 11	Manbhoom	...	...	...	...	...	29 9 11
Beerbhoom	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 3 11	Bhagulpore—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	29 15 4
Noakholly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 6 11	Chumpana	...	...	...	...	...	28 6 8
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 7 0	Dacca—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	29 7 3
Cuttack	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 8 0	Ahore—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	29 12 7
Balasore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 10 6	Mymensingh	...	...	...	...	...	30 12 9
Furreedpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 12 1	Moonghy	...	...	...	...	...	31 11 10
Mozuffarpore...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 6 8	Patna	...	...	...	...	...	32 14 4
Pooner	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 8 10	Lohardugga	...	...	...	...	...	28 3 1
Monghyr	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 11 1	Gya	...	...	...	...	...	34 1 8
Barun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 8 7	Presidency—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	35 6 0
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 9 7	Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	35 10 0
Durbhunga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 10 10	Presidency—European	...	...	...	...	...	122 4 6
Nuddea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 11 0	Total for 1986	...	...	...	...	...	59 12 5
Khoosla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 5 5	Total for 1987	...	...	...	...	...	27 4 3
Dinagapore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 6 8	Increase	...	...	...	...	...	9 5
Rajahmhye—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 7 4							
Midnapore—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 7 4							
Hurdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 8 9							
Shahabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 14 4							
Backergunge...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 13 8							
Rungpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29 14 8							

The following jails show an increase:—Gya, Presidency (Native), Lohardugga, Patna, Hooghly, Mymensingh, Alipore, Dacca, Chumparun, and Bhagulpore. In the Presidency and Alipore Jails the contract system still prevails, and for this reason the jailors have no control over the expenditure under the head "Diet." The total average expenditure under these three heads was Rs. 29-13-8, against Rs. 27-4-3 in 1887 and Rs. 30-4-6 in 1886.

CHAPTER VI.—EMPLOYMENT OF PRISONERS, AND MANUFACTURES.

Employment of prisoners.
Statement No. XII, pages i and li.

58. The following table compares the employment of convicts for the last two years:—

AVERAGE NUMBER EMPLOYED ON WORKING DAYS.																				Ratio per cent. of average number sentenced to labour of those employed on working days, as
Average number not sentenced to labour.	Average number under sentence of labour on working days.	Average number sick.	Average number convalescent and infirm.	On unremunerative labour.	On prison duties.						On jail buildings.						Number of prisoners hired out to municipal, private individuals, or departments other than Public Works Department.			
					Prison officers.	Prison servants.	Gardening.	Employed in preparing articles for use of convicts, such as wheat, straw, &c., or in manufacturing of prison clothing, &c.	Jail repairs.	Additions and alterations.	New jails.		Manufactures.							
											Under Superintendent.	Under Public Works Department.		Under Superintendent.	Under Public Works Department.					
1867	120'31	12,210'17	614'78	1,084'41	446'57	717'30	1,213'20	820'07	690'83	137'35	854'10	507'33	10'23	25'97	5,308'39	10'06	8'87	9'98	43'96	
	126'54	10,698'30	527'75	796'34	434'23	501'97	1,132'00	677'92	486'50	106'34	706'77	307'04	7'58	6'53	4,925'29	8'75	5'53	10'54	40'08	
Increase or decrease.	27D	1,511'671	87'031	889'071	18'361	125'361	61'201	161'181	104'331	31'811	147'431	10'301	2'641	18'741	445'101	7'811	'841	'00D	2'07D	

The total average number of prisoners sentenced to labour on working days increased from 10,698-30 in 1887 to 12,210-17 in 1888. The daily average number of sick increased from 527-75 in 1887 to 614-78 in 1888, and the convalescent and infirm from 796-34 in 1887 to 1,084-41 in 1888. The number employed on unremunerative labour increased from 534-22 in 1887 to 446-57 in 1888.

59. The following compares the average number of convicts employed upon the various prison duties for the last three years:—

Prison servants.

	1886.	1887.	1888.
Prison officers	717-30	501-97	912-96
Prison servants	1,213-20	1,132-00	1,507-37
Gardening	820-07	677-92	757-07
Preparing articles for jail use	690-83	486-50	633-80
Jail repairs	137-35	106-54	266-81
Total	3,489-35	2,993-93	4,078-01

60. The total average number of convicts employed on manufactures increased from 4,925-29 in 1887 to 5,308-39 in 1888. The proportion, per cent., of convicts employed on manufactures to total number sentenced to labour was 43-96.

61. Rupees 8,08,650 represent the total cash drawings, with balance, column 7, whereas Rs. 10,75,381 were paid into the treasury, and Rs. 167 remained in hand at the end of the year. The net cash earning, therefore, according to this statement, amounts to Rs. 2,66,808, or an earning of Rs. 40-12 per head on the average number employed on manufactures.

The results of the last two years are compared below:—

	1886.	1887.
	Rs.	Rs.
Cash drawn from the treasury, &c., vide column 7	8,08,650	6,72,820
Cash paid into the treasury, &c., vide column 10	10,75,548	9,72,690
Difference or profit	2,66,808	2,99,570

The apparent cash loss of Rs. 41,533 at Rajshahye is covered by stocks of raw materials, as it is necessary to have castor seed, for at least the first four months of the year, in hand until the new crop comes into the market.

The usual abstract of the year's working is here given and compared with the results of 1887:—

	1888.		1887.	
	Rs.		Rs.	
<i>Credits.</i>				
Cash in hand at the end of 1888 and 1887	167	0	381	0
Manufactured articles	2,66,106	0	2,76,417	0
Raw materials	1,93,560	0	1,36,511	0
Outstanding bills due to jails	28,505	0	37,837	0
Do. do. due by jails	1,012	0	6,487	0
Plant and machinery	4,46,104	0	4,92,898	0
Remittances by cash and invoice	10,78,381	0	9,72,638	0
Total credits	20,10,835	0	19,12,169	0
<i>Debits.</i>				
Cash in hand at the end of 1887 and 1886	381	0	456	0
Manufactured articles	2,76,417	0	2,96,387	0
Raw materials	1,26,511	0	1,92,794	0
Outstanding bills due to jails	37,837	0	33,798	0
Do. do. due by jails	12,918	0	1,012	0
Plant and machinery	4,92,898	0	4,84,319	0
Drawn from Treasury during the year	7,95,309	0	6,60,912	0
Total debits	17,41,271	0	16,69,428	0
Profit	2,69,564	0	2,42,741	0
Average profit per head sentenced to labour	22	1	23	11

It will be seen from the above table that the net profit increased from Rs. 2,42,741 in 1887 to Rs. 2,69,564 in 1888.

62. The average earning per prisoner sentenced to labour in central jails is compared with that of last year in the following table:—

	Average earning per prisoner, 1888.	Average earning per prisoner, 1887.
Presidency Jail	73·0	58·3
Alipore ..	43·7	42·7
Buxar ..	21·3	40·2
Midnapore ..	16·1	30·8
Rajshahye ..	12·4	21·3
Bhagulpore ..	10·5	0·0
Dacca ..	3·7	3·0

In the case of jails using machinery, 5 per cent. has been deducted from the ordinary profit, and in all cases 10 per cent. depreciation in plant has been allowed for. Altogether Rs. 60,333 represent the amount of the deductions.

63. The Alipore Central Jail employed 68·71 per cent. of the average number sentenced to labour on manufactures. The profit amounts to Rs. 73,881-15, a slight increase on the earning of last year. I am glad to report that nearly the whole of the gunny outturn is now under supply to Government departments, and there is every reason to expect further demands, from consuming departments, up to the full capacity of the jute mill.

64. The Presidency Central Jail employed 60·67 per cent. of the daily average of native prisoners and 9·07 per cent. of the European prisoners on manufactures.

The profit amounts to Rs. 89,521-7, or very nearly the earning in 1886, when Rs. 75-13 was the average per prisoner as compared with Rs. 76-13 for the year under review. The working in 1887, as already reported, was affected by the Jubilee releases.

65. The Buxar Central Jail employed 47·54 per cent. of the daily average on manufactures, and the profits amount to Rs. 22,248-6, or an average of Rs. 22-7 per prisoner. This is below last year's earning, and is due to restricted outturn in the weaving sheds owing to a large stock of cloth from the previous year. Although there has been a favourable increase in the outturn of tents, there has been a decided falling off in the orders from the Ordnance Department.

66. The Bhagulpore Central Jail employed 36.40 per cent. of the daily average on manufactures. This is a lower rate than usual for this jail, due, in the first place, to the high daily average of convalescent and infirm prisoners; and secondly, to the larger number of men employed during the year on Jail and Public Works Department buildings. The net profit for the year amounts to Rs. 10,902-1 after writing off Rs. 12,893 for depreciation. This is an improvement on the working in 1887, but I regret to say the outlook for 1889 is not encouraging because of an anticipated rise in the price of raw materials.

67. The Midnapore Central Jail employed 47.89 per cent. of the daily average on manufactures and earned Rs. 10,608-14, or an average of Rs. 15-14 per prisoner. Light tasks, owing to the indifferent health of the prisoners, coupled with slightly lower rates for the outturn, have operated in reducing the annual profit.

68. The Rajshahye Central Jail employed 52.26 per cent. of the daily average on manufactures. The profit for the year amounts to Rs. 10,060-8, or an average of Rs. 13-1 per prisoner sentenced to labour. Owing to the partial failure of the contractor to supply castor seed under the previous year's contract, the outturn was considerably reduced in March and April. The seed for the year under review was purchased at a higher rate than usual, but the jail was not in a position to benefit by the rise in the market rate of oil, which fluctuated from Rs. 9-8 in July to Rs. 11-4 in December last, because six-sevenths of the whole production, about 12,000 maunds, were supplied to Provincial State Railways at an uniform contract rate of Rs. 9-8 per maund.

69. The Dacca Central Jail employed 18.50 per cent. of the daily average on manufactures, and 49.56 per cent. on additions and alterations to jail buildings. The profit amounts to Rs. 3,674-1.

70. There has a falling off in the earnings of the Darjeeling Jail owing to competition in the bazar. The profit for the year amounts to Rs. 4,868.

71. The value of manufactured articles in stock at the end of the year amounts to Rs. 2,66,106, as compared with Rs. 2,76,417, the total for 1887. The Buxar Central

Jail again heads the list with Rs. 1,18,200, composed of stocks of tent cloth, police and jail clothing; the last two items having been prepared so as to be ready for delivery before the hot weather sets in.

72. The following table shows the amount of outstandings over and above Rs. 100 in jails at the close of the year 1888:—

Jails	Total of outstandings due at the close of 1888.	Due from public bodies, such as municipalities.	Due from private parties.	Amount since realised
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bhagulpore Central	17,461		23	17,378
Buxar Central	2,491	308	633	2,582
Dacca Central	1,777		36	1,740
Darjeeling Central	2,926	120	548	3,094
Patna Central	945	204	161	1,000
Rajshahye Central	991		200	791
Rangoon Central	823		148	705
Singapore Central	509		16	548
Calcutta Central	167		74	95
Meerut Central	161		31	160
Delhi Central	155		48	118
Benares Central	153		167	40
Almora Central	123		1	121

There remains to be recovered at the close of this report Rs. 1,180 from public bodies and Rs. 2,242 from private parties.

CHAPTER VII.—SUBSIDIARY JAILS.

73. The management of subsidiary :

General management and inspections

under the charge of sub-divisional officers. The manner in which, some Deputy Superintendents have conducted their duties has not been satisfactory. I hope that the issue of my recent circular in which I have invited the personal attention of Superintendents to the necessity for a closer supervision over the work of these subordinate officials will prevent the continuance of the irregularities that have been brought to my notice by Inspecting Officers. Out of the 85 subsidiary jails in existence, 69 were visited more than 70 times, which figure represents the average for the year. The following subsidiary jails were visited less than the average number of times:—

Buxar	...	...	39	Mudhepoorah	...	...	63
Kurseong	...	...	50	Ungool	...	...	63
Goalundo	...	...	57	Contai	...	...	63
Jamocoe	...	...	60	Basseram	...	...	64
Narail	...	...	61	Oolcoberiah	...	...	65
Culina	...	...	69				

The Buxar Subsidiary Jail now occupies the position of a *hajet*—so rapidly are prisoners transferred to the local central jail. The Superintendent of the Jamocoe Subsidiary Jail explains that he was unable to visit the institution in his charge during the months of August and September on account of illness. The usual explanations will be called for in regard to the other subsidiary jails.

74. The total amount expended on subsidiary jail buildings was Rs. 70,106, against Rs. 38,857 in 1887. Out of this sum

Buildings.

Rs. 42,920 were expended on the erection of new subsidiary jails at Gaibanda, Goalundo, Attia, Kishoregunge, Cox's Bazar, Samastipore, Arrareah, and Deoghur, all of which were completed during 1888.

75. The condition of the warder guard continues satisfactory, though in a few instances I have been obliged to dispense with the services of some men on account of neglect

Warder guards.

of duty not connected with the escape of prisoners. Other punishments, such as degradation, suspension and removal to central jails for training, have also been inflicted.

76. It will be seen from the following table that there has been an increase in the number of convicts admitted into subsidiary jails during the year. The number who

Convicted prisoners.

died was 18 compared with 9 in 1887, 5 in 1886, and 12 in 1885. The following are the diseases from which the 18 convicts died:—4 from remittent fever; 4 from cholera, 2 from anaemia and general debility, 7 from dysentery and diarrhoea, and 1 from disease of the lungs:—

	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
Number of convicts in subsidiary jails on the last day of the previous year	...	...	...	...
Admitted direct during the year	14,125	13,750	13,650	14,375
Total	28,245	27,500	27,300	28,750
Admitted by transfer	397	420	394	420
Total	28,642	27,920	27,694	29,170
Deceased transferred	10,300	9,400	9,400	10,300
Released	4,125	4,125	4,125	4,125
Escaped	18	5	5	5
Total discharged	14,443	13,530	13,530	14,450
Balance at the end of the year	...	...	...	...
Daily average number of prisoners	2734	2714	2714	2734

The daily average strength was 327.36, which was higher than the figures for 1885, 1886, and 1887.

Average detention of convicts.

77. The following statement shows the average detention of convicts in subsidiary jails from the year 1881 :—

1881 ...	6-08	1886	8-28
1882 ...	6-22	1887	7-06
1883 ...	7-06	1888	8-04
1884 ...	7-02	1889	8-21

The figures for 1886 are higher than those for any year since 1881. The following sub-jails show the longest detention :—

Palamow ...	40-27
Arrarrah ...	33-09

At Palamow, which has now been converted into an intermediate jail, prisoners with sentences of three months and under were detained. At Arrarrah prisoners were detained for work connected with the new buildings, and this was also the case in regard to other subsidiary jails where building operations were in progress. At some subsidiary jails which shew a high average detention, prisoners were detained on account of sickness or to answer other charges, but in all such cases my sanction was obtained to the arrangement.

Under-trial prisoners.

78. The following table relates to under-trial prisoners :—

	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
Number of under-trial prisoners in subsidiary jails on the last day of previous year ...	422	398	331	408
Total number admitted during the year ...	12,471	12,490	12,326	12,678
Total ...	12,893	12,878	12,656	13,076
Deceased ...	1,328	1,266	1,413	1,400
Discharged ...	6,364	6,037	6,229	6,917
Escaped ...	5,000	6,003	4,993	6,108
Recaptured ...	6	8	5	8
Dead ...	14	7	10	18
Total discharged ...	12,893	12,847	12,160	13,403
Balance at the end of the year ...	398	331	408	408
Daily average number of prisoners ...	453-45	437-50	457-31	514-61

The subsidiary jails mentioned below show the longest detention of under-trial prisoners :—

Jamulpore	27-17	Satkhira ...	23-23
Arrarrah	23-08	Bagirhaut ...	21-77
Nowgong	23-70	Khond Mehal ...	21-67

The average detention of under-trial prisoners for the year 1888 was 14-11 days, against 13-48 in 1887.

79. Twelve civil prisoners were admitted during the year compared with 19 in 1887, 23 in 1886, and 26 in 1885. The daily average number was 0-48; the figures for 1886 and 1887 were 0-91 and 0-79. The largest number of civil prisoners was admitted into the Kishoregunge Subsidiary Jail, where the number was 3: Alipore, Sewan, and Palamow show 2 each.

80. The total number of escapes during the year was 19 compared with 17 in 1887 and 20 in 1886. The number of convicts who escaped was 6, and the number of under-trial prisoners 13. Out of 6 convicts who escaped during the year, 3 were recaptured, and 3 convicts were recaptured out of those who escaped in 1887.

Of the 13 under-trial prisoners who escaped during the year, 8 were recaptured from each of the subsidiary jails at Tumlook, Nya Loomka, Ungool, and 2 convicts from Soolpool. One female prisoner escaped from the Nowgong Subsidiary Jail, but was recaptured. It appears she climbed over the wooden palisading unobserved, and presented herself before the Sub-divisional Officer to lay her case before him. The warder through whose negligence the female prisoner left the jail was fined and transferred. The other escapes call for no special remarks, but they were due in the majority of cases to the insecurity of the jail buildings and enclosures.

88. The table given below facilitates comparison of the state of health of Sickness and mortality. the prison population in different years since 1863:—

YEARS.	Daily average number of prisoners.	Daily average sick.	Ratio of sick to average total.	NUMBER OF DEATHS.			DEATH-RATE PER MILLE OF AVERAGE STRENGTH.			REMARKS.
				From cholera.	From other causes.	Total.	From cholera.	From other causes.	Total.	
1863	16,425	647	31.4	222	1,222	1,444	29.2	14.2	43.4	
1864	16,720	514	30.7	221	1,204	1,425	29.0	13.7	42.7	
1865	17,420	726	41.7	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1866	20,025	740	37.0	222	1,222	1,444	29.2	14.2	43.4	
1867	18,720	622	33.2	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1868	18,021	640	35.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1869	18,470	670	36.3	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1870	18,540	623	33.6	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1871	17,500	622	35.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1872	19,104	673	35.2	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1873	18,470	622	33.7	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1874	20,140	622	31.4	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1875	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1876	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1877	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1878	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1879	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1880	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1881	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1882	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1883	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1884	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1885	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1886	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1887	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1888	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1889	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1890	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1891	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1892	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1893	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1894	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1895	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1896	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1897	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1898	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
1899	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
2000	21,520	720	33.5	122	1,222	1,344	27.8	14.2	42.0	
Total	4,07,322	19,487	47.8	4,022	22,207	26,229	27.8	14.2	42.0	
Average	17,580	727	41.4	122	222	344	27.8	14.2	42.0	

The ratio per mille of daily average sick was 46.2, against 44.7 in 1887. The death-rate was 45.0 against 33.1—a very decided increase, but still very much below the average of the last quarter of a century, which has been 58.7 per mille. There are only three years during that period which show a lower mortality than 45 per mille: 1887 was quite an exceptional year, and cholera accounted for only 20 deaths, or 1.7, against 132, or 9.7 per mille, in 1888.

89. The largest number of admissions into hospital per mille of average strength was at Khoolna, Maldah, and Darjeeling, against Khoolna, Maldah, and Chumparun in the previous year. The highest ratio of daily average sick was registered at Singhbhum, 144.0 per mille, followed by Khoolna 102.2, Chumparun 79.7, Maldah 76.1, and Darjeeling 75.2. The ratio of daily sick at Singhbhum was 144.0, against 106.2 in the previous year, and the Medical Officer reports that although the average was raised by chronic cases which remained a long time in hospital, the increase was principally due to a severe outbreak of dysentery. He states that the health of the district was unusually bad, and the Deputy Commissioner fully endorses this opinion. The death-rate of the town was very high, being 50.44 per mille, against 26.64 in 1887. The percentage of admissions to jail in bad health was nearly double that of 1887, being 9.90 against 5.25. Out of a total of 127 admissions to hospital for all classes of prisoners, 64, or over 50 per cent, were due to dysentery. Although cholera was present in the town and district from June to September, only two cases with one death occurred in the jail. The Medical Officer reports that no causes connected with the jail can be assigned for this severe outbreak of dysentery, and can only give as a reason the unusual unhealthiness of the season. Great attention was paid to the drinking water which was twice filtered, and was also boiled. The jail is the fourth highest on the list in regard to mortality. There were 16 deaths amongst convicts, equal to 169.8 per mille, against 2, or 10.7, in 1887. One prisoner died of cholera, another, aged 55 years, of diarrhoea, and another prisoner suffering from cut-throat died the day after admission. Dysentery accounted for 8 out of the 12 deaths, and the Medical Officer reports that most of these prisoners were received in bad or indifferent health; all were from 46 to 60 years of age, and 6 of them died within about a month of

their admission. There is still a high rate of sickness at Khoolna, which receives prisoners from malarious tracts, but there is an improvement compared to that of 1887. This is said to be due to the improved drainage outside the jail, and to the sickly prisoners formerly received from Sathkira going now direct to Jessore. The ratio of sick to daily strength has fallen from 137.4 to 102.2 per mille, and the death-rate has gone down from 258.6 to 51.8 per mille in 1888, which latter figure is the lowest possible, as only one prisoner died. He was 65 years of age, and came into jail suffering from diarrhoea and dropsy. The mortality statistics of small jails like this are apt to produce a wrong impression, unless all the circumstances connected therewith are carefully considered. At Champaran, although the proportion of admissions was slightly greater, the ratio of daily average sick fell from 123.1 per mille to 79.7. The death-rate was remarkably low, being only 19.0 per mille, against 33.5 in 1887. Of the four prisoners who died, three were received in bad health. Dr. Murray reports that the health of the jail and that of the town and district were in inverse ratio to each other. The jail was exceptionally, almost unprecedentedly, healthy, while the condition of the outside population was the worst ever recorded. The unhealthiness at Maldah was due to the increased number of weak prisoners admitted, the health of the district also being reported bad. Although fewer were admitted to hospital, the ratio of sick to daily strength rose from 55.3 to 76.1 per mille. Out of a total of 124 admissions, 75 were from fever and 29 from bowel-complaints. The deaths numbered 7, or 181.9 per mille, against 4, or 84.8, in 1887. One was due to cholera, 4 to bowel-complaints, 1 to splenitis, and 1 to syphilitic synovitis; the latter had been under treatment over a year before death. Three of those who died were admitted into jail in bad health. Cholera was very prevalent in the town at the end of the year. Only two cases occurred in the jail. At Darjeeling the health of the prisoners has improved; and although the admissions per mille of average strength were the third highest on the list, the ratio of daily average sick fell from 89.4 to 75.2. The chief causes of sickness were ague, bowel-complaints, respiratory diseases, tape-worms, and round worms. The deaths numbered four, against three in 1887. One prisoner was murdered during an outbreak in the jail.

Principal diseases causing sickness and deaths.

90. The chief diseases recorded during the year were as follows:—

DISEASE.	Number of admissions into hospital.	Number of deaths.	Ratio per mille of deaths to admissions.
Intermittent fever	6,378	23	3.6
Dysentery and diarrhoea	4,935	193	38.9
Respiratory diseases	684	49	7.2
Anæmia and general debility.	571	31	5.4
Ulcers and boils	527	.....	.....
Remittent and continued fevers	237	22	19.7
Cholera	123	128	69.9
Scrophulous and phthisis pulmonalis	119	47	39.5
Jaundice	23	.....	.....
Other fevers	14	10	71.4

91. The cases admitted into hospital were 6,378 against 5,919, giving a ratio per mille of 515.2, against 542.6 in 1887. As in the previous year, Maldah heads the list with the high ratio of 1,949.5 per mille, then comes Khoolna with 1,297.3, and Bankoora and Champaran with above 1,000 each. The deaths to admissions were 3.6, against 4.7 in 1887.

92. There was an increase in the number of admissions from these diseases, and the mortality was much higher, being 38.9 per mille, against 29.4 in 1887. The jails showing the highest ratio of admission to strength are—Khoolna, Singbhoom, Bankoora, and Rungpore, all over 1,000 per mille. The greatest mortality was at Bankoora, Singbhoom, Maldah, and Gya. The introduction of river water into Rungpore and of town filtered water into Bhagulpore seems to have reduced the prevalence of dysentery, but this disease prevails in many jails, in spite of the most careful attention to water, food, clothing and general sanitation.

93. There is a slight increase in the number admitted under anaemia and debility, and the death-rate was higher, being 54.1 per mille, against 42.9 in 1887.

94. The number of admissions from respiratory diseases was 663 against 577, and the mortality rose from 67.5 per mille in 1887 to 88.9 in 1888.

95. The number admitted rose from 205 in 1887 to 327 in the year under report, and the mortality greatly increased being 29, or 127.7 per mille, against 17, or 89.1 in 1887. In 1886 there were 304 cases and 35 deaths.

96. At Alipore there were 8 sporadic cases of cerebro-spinal fever during the year. The deaths numbered 5, against 5 out of 13 cases in 1887. The duration of illness among

those who died was from 12 hours to 5 days. The ventilation of the barracks and worksheds was improved, and the jail population lessened during the year. In the Rajshahye Jail 4 cases occurred between the 20th and 27th December, three of which proved fatal. All those who died were received from Dinagepore in bad or indifferent health, and two of them only 14 days before the disease showed itself, but there were no cases at Dinagepore. Dr. Russell has submitted a very careful report, and says that during November and December there had been a number of cases of rapidly fatal fever in the town of Beaulah, and though not diagnosed as cerebro-spinal fever, he considers it might have been that disease. It proved fatal in from two to seven days. None of the prisoners who died had been overworked in any way in jail. A Mymensingh one case which proved fatal is recorded. The death of a prisoner from typho-malarial is reported from Rungpore.

97. Out of 44 jails, only 14 had any cases of cholera during the year and in only six of these did more than two cases occur. Altogether there were 132 admissions with

126 deaths, or 10.2 per mille of average strength, against 1.6 in 1887. The disease was worst at Rajshahye (71 cases and 51 deaths), Rungpore (28 cases and 22 deaths), and Alipore (27 cases and 15 deaths). These three jails accounted for 126 of the cases and 88 of the deaths. Special reports have been submitted to Government on the severe outbreaks at Rajshahye and Rungpore. At Lohardugga there were 14 cases and 11 deaths (including one under trial prisoner), at Mozufferpore (14 cases and 11 deaths), and at the Presidency (13 cases and 6 deaths). Cholera had a firm hold on the outside population near those jails before any prisoners were attacked. At the Presidency and Alipore Jails milk was supposed to be the cause of the introduction of the disease. At Rungpore it is said that the Assam coolies travelling through the district had a good deal to do with the spread of cholera. At Mozufferpore it was discovered that cholera cases had occurred close to the river ghât where the jail drinking water was obtained. At Rajshahye the milk supply was also suspected. Considering that cholera is endemic in Bengal, it is really wonderful how with so many prisoners constantly moving about in all directions, the jails escape so well as they do.

Small-pox.

98. Not a single case of small-pox occurred in the jails of Bengal during 1888.

99. The total deaths among convicts in jails and subsidiary jails were 571, or 46.1, against 363, or 33.2 per mille in 1887.

Mortality.

Of the prisoners who died in jails, only 135, or 28.39 per cent., were received into jail in good health; 323, or 40.14, were in indifferent health; and 1,744, or 31.47 per cent., in bad health. Out of the 571 prisoners who died, 299, or more than half the mortality, occurred within six months of admission into jail. The precautions referred to in last year's report have been continued and even increased. Great attention is being paid to water-supply and the classification of prisoners in regard to health, and Dr. Russell of Rajshahye and Dr. O'Brien of Barisal are giving attention to the necessity for a variety of food, especially amongst the weak and ill. At both places many of the prisoners were in the habit of leaving a large quantity of food; but with improved cooking and a greater choice of food, the waste of matters was checked and the health improved accordingly. At Rungpore and other jails, the allowance of oil was increased with evident good results.

Jails with highest mortality.

100. The following jails show the highest mortality:—

Jails.	Death-rates of all causes per mille.		Death-rates, exclusive of cholera, per mille.	
	1886.	1887.	1886.	1887.
Lohardugga	191.3	98.8	117.7	98.8
Maldah	181.9	84.8	188.9	84.8
Rungpore	178.6	104.3	78.1	78.1
Singbhoom	168.8	60.7	168.8	60.7
Rajshahye	136.5	68.9	68.9	68.9
Gya	116.7	38.3	116.7	38.3
Farukh	104.3	68.4	104.3	68.4
Pahar	99.0	14.8	99.0	14.8
Moosampur	77.9	17.7	77.9	17.7
Bogra	76.9	58.9	76.9	58.9
Barrabhoon	64.8	41.9	64.8	41.9
Dinagpore	63.8	58.9	63.8	58.9
Wundwund	55.1	38.9	55.1	38.9
Khosha	51.8	28.8	51.8	28.8
Darjeeling	51.4	38.7	51.4	38.7
Pahar	50.8	38.9	50.8	38.9

The highest death-rate, including cholera, occurred at Lohardugga, viz., 191.3 per mille, against 98.8 in 1887 and 21.7 in 1886. In the latter two years there was no cholera at Lohardugga, but in 1888 this disease accounted for 73.6 per mille of the total. The health of the district is reported to have been unusually bad, and fully half of the prisoners admitted were either in bad or indifferent health, many suffering from ulceration of the gums and well-marked malarial cachexia. Each prisoner on admission was carefully examined. There were 26 deaths in all, including 10 from cholera. Of the remaining 16, 8 were prisoners about 55 years of age, all of whom were admitted in bad or indifferent health. The particulars in regard to the mortality at the Maldah and Singbhoom Jails will be found in paragraph 89. At Rungpore the mortality rose to 178.6, against 104.3 in 1887. In both years the ordinary death-rate was the same—78 per mille. Out of 43 deaths, 23 were due to cholera, 12 to dysentery, and 3 to diarrhoea. Thirteen of those who died came from other jails, and only 2 out of the 43 were received in good health. Thirty of the deceased had been under six months in jail and 3 were under-trial prisoners. During 1888 cholera accounted for 95.5 of the total. The Medical Officer calls attention to the special risks in regard to cholera to which the district and jail population are exposed from the coolies travelling on the Assam-Bihar Railway, and says the numerous transfers of prisoners from all quarters greatly increase this risk. He also submits tables which show that the prisoners coming from the affiliated jails of Julpigoree, Siligooree, Kurseong, and Darjeeling had nearly treble the number of casualties compared with those received from the district of Rungpore. Dr. Dutt reports that prisoners coming from the higher elevations suffered considerably from the heat. Rajshahye was peculiarly unfortunate during the year owing principally to two outbreaks of cholera, which accounted for nearly half the deaths, and the appearance of cerebro-spinal fever, from which three prisoners died. The death-rate including cholera was 136.5 per mille, and without that disease 68.9. The figures for 1887 were 44.8 per mille. Many prisoners were admitted in a low state of health, and the general improvement during their residence in jail was very marked. Whereas only 20 per cent. were received in good health, 76 per cent. were discharged in good health. In bad health 21 per cent. were received and only 2 per cent. discharged. In other words, out of 857 admitted, 700 were in indifferent or bad health, while only 267 among 860 discharged were in a similar condition. The ratio of admission per mille was 1,980.8, against 1,514.6 in 1887, and the ratio of daily sick 77.9 against 60.1. The chief causes of mortality were—cholera 51, fevers 23, bowel-complaints 16, and respiratory diseases 3. The daily average sick was highest in October and November, and it is stated that in the latter month a large proportion of prisoners out of hospital was suffering from anaemia and gastric catarrh. Only a few, about 20, showed any signs of scorbutic taint during the year. Dr. Russell has gone very minutely into every point likely to bear on the health of the prisoners, and the improvement in their general health was very marked at the close of the year. The number of sick and convalescents had gone down to about half at the end of December.

In the district the mortality from fever showed a remarkable fall. The year is described as one of drought, of extremes of seasonal temperature, and of high prices for food-stuffs. The increase in the death-rate at Gya has been very serious, but there was no cholera. There were 43 deaths, including 28 from dysentery and 8 from diarrhoea. The admissions into hospital were much higher than in 1887, and the daily average sick was nearly doubled. The death-rate of convicts was 114·7, against 36·5 in 1887. Out of the 43 who died, 25 were admitted in indifferent or bad health. An analysis of the state of health of the 28 who died from dysentery shows that 9 of them were admitted in good, 16 in indifferent, and 3 in bad health. This jail contains a large proportion of weak and old men, and malarious anæmia was common in its various forms. There was no trace of scurvy. At the end of the year the population was largely composed of invalids, who were treated accordingly. One gang of 34 was exempted from work, and another gang, containing 71 convalescents, was only allowed to do labour of a light kind. The prevalence of dysentery, which proved so fatal, is very difficult to account for, as every known precaution seems to have been taken. The drinking water is procured from a well inside the jail, and has been in regular use since the jail was built eight years ago. The water is filtered and boiled. It has lately been analysed by the Chemical Examiner to Government, and although not proved to be of first-rate quality, he declares it to be chemically better than many waters which are used daily in various parts of India, and it is superior to the water used by the European residents of Gya. A sample of the latter water was sent for analysis with that of the jail at my request. The only defect I could discover in the jail barracks at Gya was a deficiency of roof ventilation. When the weather is warm and the doors are open, there is plenty of fresh air; but when the doors have to be closed in cold and wet weather, stagnation of air must occur. The Public Works Department has been asked to take this matter in hand. The Magistrate notes that there was a semi-scarcity in the district during the year, and a large proportion of the lower classes was under-fed, and he thinks this had a good deal to do with the bad health of the prisoners admitted into the jail. The death-rate in the town of Gya was 49·3, against 47·1 in the previous year. The mortality at the Midnapore Jail was 44·5, against 34·6 per mille in 1887. Out of 30 deaths, 17 were from bowel-complaints and 8 from chest diseases. In December 11 deaths occurred owing, it is said, to the bad effects of the cold on several patients who had been a long time in hospital. During the cold weather extra clothing had to be distributed, and some of the openings in the wards, especially to the north, were temporarily built up. The health of the district is reported to have been worse than that of the previous year. The mortality among natives at the Presidency Jail rose from 15·0 per mille in 1887 to 32·8 in the year under report. There were 38 deaths, 6 of which were due to cholera, 13 to dysentery, 5 to phthisis, 7 to fevers, and 4 to pneumonia. Of those who died, 13 were admitted in indifferent or bad health. The increased mortality cannot be traced to any special cause. No deaths occurred among Europeans in this jail. At Pubna, where the jail population was small, 4 deaths occurred, against only 1 in 1887, and the rate rose from 14·5 to 90·0 per mille. One prisoner died from phthisis, one from dysentery, one from obstruction of the bowels, and one from remittent fever. The Medical Officer says that all who died were admitted in bad health, two being very old and weak. At Purneah the death-rate was 104·6 per mille, against 62·4 in 1887. Out of 8 deaths (including one under-trial), 4 were due to dysentery, 2 to phthisis, 1 to fever, and 1 to debility and old age. One prisoner was admitted with advanced dysentery and died within a fortnight. A female, aged 70, also died of this disease. Two other prisoners were admitted with hopeless phthisis—one died in 14 days, and the other in 17 days. The man who died of debility was aged 70. The death-rate at Mozufferpore would only have been 12 per mille had it not been raised to 77·8 by cholera. This shows how much the element of chance has to do with mortality statistics. In regard to the causes of the high mortality in many Bengal jails, Dr. Lethbridge, who has so ably managed these institutions for many years, has pretty well exhausted the subject. It is simply impossible for anybody, however great his opportunities may have been in other provinces, to realize without personal experience the wretched and diseased state of a large number of the prisoners annually admitted into

the Bengal jails. This well-recognised low standard of public health and climatic influences are undoubtedly the main causes of the high death-rate in these jails, and of course such conditions are intensified from time to time, and in different localities, by outbreaks of epidemic disease and the presence of scarcity. It must also be remembered that nearly all the young, strong and healthy prisoners are periodically transferred to the 7 central jails, leaving in the remaining 37 district and intermediate jails the sickly, old, weak and short-term prisoners. In a previous report I notice it was suggested by some officer that such institutions might more aptly be called penal hospitals for diseased criminals than jails. Under such circumstances, it is useless comparing the health statistics of central with district and other jails. The deplorable effects of malarious fever, and its *sequelæ* on the health of the inhabitants of Bengal, have been graphically described by the present Sanitary Commissioner of Bengal in a circular letter lately addressed to all municipalities. Superintendents and Medical Officers of Jails are fully alive to the orders and wishes of Government on the subject of jail management, and I do not think that the prison population of any country can receive more attention and consideration in every way than that of this province. Expensive buildings, good food, improved water-supply, suitable labour, and the best medical treatment are furnished. In fact nothing is withheld that is likely to improve health and prolong life. The number of prisoners discharged from jail that have increased in weight and improved in health is a satisfactory proof of what is being achieved. In addition to Official Visitors, the condition of the prisoners is now carefully watched by non-official European and native gentlemen who have been selected by Government to visit jails. My own belief, founded on over twenty years' experience as a Superintendent of Bengal jails, is that many prisoners who enter jail are kept alive who would certainly have died had they not been imprisoned. This is a view of the question which is often overlooked in criticising jail administration.

Jails showing lowest mortality.

101. The following table contains a list of the jails showing the lowest mortality :—

JAILS.	Death-rates of all causes per mille.		Death-rates, exclusive of cholera, per mille.	
	1886.	1887.	1888.	1887.
Presidency (European)
Nonkanly	18'8	.....	18'8
Tipperah
Forces	20'1	.....	20'1
Darbhanga	7'6	.....	7'6
Nadua	8'3	.....	8'3
Buxar	9'3	.....	9'3
Shahabad	14'4	.....	14'4
Bhagalpore	17'1	.....	16'1
Chumpran	19'0	.....	18'6
Meerut	19'0	.....	19'0
Outank	20'0	.....	20'0
Bankura	24'9	.....	24'9
Faridpore	27'4	.....	27'4
Balson	30'3	.....	30'3
Jaunpur	30'0	.....	30'0
Banbhoom	30'4	.....	30'4
Barabhadra	29'7	.....	29'7
Chittagong	30'1	.....	30'1
Madrigh	31'0	.....	31'0
Barru	31'9	.....	31'9

Health of prisoners on admission and discharge.

102. The extent to which prisoners discharged from jails in 1888 improved in health during residence in jail, is shown in the following table :—

	1				2			
	State of health on admission of those who were discharged from jail, as per column 1.				State of health on discharge of those who were discharged from jail, as per column 1.			
	Good.	Indifferent.	Bad.	Total.	Good.	Indifferent.	Bad.	Total.
In 1888	22,284	9,794	2,798	34,876	24,223	9,776	1,766	35,765
Ratio per cent. to total number discharged from the jail	63'77	28'22	8'01	100'00	70'97	28'22	8'01	100'00

¹ Excluding the figure for the Bogra Intermediate Jail.

CHAPTER IX.—INSPECTION.

103. During the absence of Dr. Lethbridge on privilege leave from the 15th April to 14th May 1888, Mr. A. D. Larymore, Superintendent of the Alipore Jail, acted as Inspector-General of Jails, in addition to his own duties. I took over charge from Dr. Lethbridge on the 1st November 1888, and have officiated as Inspector-General for the remainder of the year. Dr. Lethbridge inspected 29 jails and 5 subsidiary jails, and I inspected 9 jails during 1888. The following jails were inspected more than once:—Alipore, Presidency, Darjeeling, Mozufferpore, Bhagulpore, Hazaribagh, and Lohardugga.

104. The following table shows how the work of visiting the jails has been carried out during the past year:—

JAILS.	NUMBER OF VISITS DURING THE YEAR.			JAILS.	NUMBER OF VISITS DURING THE YEAR.		
	Magistrates, Joint, Assistant, and Deputy Magistrates.	Judges, including Judicial Commissioners.	Other official visitors, including Commissioners and Inspector-General of Jails.		Magistrates, Joint, Assistant, and Deputy Magistrates.	Judges, including Judicial Commissioners.	Other official visitors, including Commissioners and Inspector-General of Jails.
Alipore—District and Central ...	4	1	13	Monghyr ...	47	3	6
Presidency—District and Central ...	12	9	34	Cuttack ...	20	2	2
Midnapore—District and Central ...	12	5	3	Darjeeling ...	24	2	27
Bhagulpore—District and Central ...	12	5	13	Durbhanga ...	23	2	2
Buxar—Central ...	17	1	1	Lohardugga ...	43	2	2
Rajshahy—District and Central ...	12	10	2	Bankura—Intermediate ...	20	11	2
Bacon—District and Central ...	3	1	2	Boerboom—Intermediate ...	41	9	2
Hazaribagh ...	12	2	45	Bogra—Intermediate ...	20	4	2
Burdwan ...	40	2	13	Maldah—Intermediate ...	27	1	2
Hughly ...	45	2	2	Pubna—Intermediate ...	26	12	2
Mourshedabad ...	45	4	9	Jalpijore—Intermediate ...	37	2	4
Dinapore ...	25	11	3	Noakholly—Intermediate ...	24	6	1
Gya ...	70	7	11	Tipperah—Intermediate ...	21	12	2
Nudda ...	46	9	3	Purneah—Intermediate ...	9	4	2
Jessore ...	51	10	2	Poorce—Intermediate ...	62	2	2
Kungpore ...	50	10	2	Balesore—Intermediate ...	71	2	2
Furrudpore ...	50	2	2	Singbhoom—Intermediate ...	34	2	2
Backergunge ...	51	11	2	Maubhoom—Intermediate ...	27	4	2
Myrmensingh ...	22	2	2	Khoolna—Intermediate ...	22	1	2
Chittagong ...	49	7	12				
Patna ...	50	9	11	Total ...	1,772	220	220
Alahabad ...	23	9	19	1887 ...	1,222	241	240
Mozufferpore ...	40	2	2	1888 ...	2,020	24	12
Sarun ...	24	10	2				
Chumpan ...	55	4	1				

CHAPTER X.—OFFICERS OF THE DEPARTMENT.

105. The following changes took place among the subordinate officials :—

Changes of appointments. jailors Nil Komul Das of Patna Jail, T. Prosonno' Coomar Buxy of Gya Jail, and Bepin Behary Sircar of Maldah Jail, were transferred to the Registration Department; jailor Bunwari Lall Bose of Pooree Jail and assistant jailors Gopaljee and Jada Nath Guha died during the year; jailors Boidya Nath Tripathi of Lohardugga and Juggobundhu Guha of Mymensingh retired on pension; jailor Nil Komal Das was promoted to the 5th grade, and assistant jailor Gopal Chundra Mohapatra was promoted to a deputy jailorship; jailor Ajudhya Nath Sen was reduced to the sixth grade, and deputy jailor Troyluckho Nath Neogy to an assistant jailorship; apprentice Suke Lall Dutt was appointed an assistant jailor.

106. Mr. A. D. Larymore, Superintendent of the Alipore Jail, was on privilege leave from 16th November to 6th December 1888, and Mr. H. M. Owen, Assistant Superintendent of the Bhagulpore Jail, acted for him. Mr. W. C. Beadon, Superintendent of the Buxar Central Jail, was on privilege leave from the 9th August to 4th November 1888, and Mr. H. G. Taylor, Assistant Superintendent at Buxar, officiated. Mr. M. S. Emerson, Assistant Superintendent of the Alipore Jail, was granted privilege leave from the 28th August to 27th November 1888. Dr. L. Cameron was in charge of the Rajshahye Central Jail from 1st January to 19th November, and Dr. E. G. Russell from 20th November to the end of the year.

107. The head office work is very heavy, and the staff is under-manned. *Head office.* The Head Assistant, Baboo Saroda Prosad Sen, and the First Assistant, Baboo Raj Coomar Coar, are hard-working and efficient. My thanks are due to Mr. H. H. Watson, Personal Assistant, for the able and excellent way in which he has managed the office. Mr. J. W. Hanlon, Superintendent of Jail Manufactures, has rendered much assistance, and has worked the Jail Dépôt successfully. Mr. A. D. Larymore, Deputy Inspector-General of Jails, is an officer of great tact and experience, and I am indebted to him for his able assistance in many important matters.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

H. B. PURVES, F.R.C.S.E., *Surgeon-Major,*

Offg. Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

APPENDIX.

STATISTICS

OF THE

JAILS AND SUBSIDIARY JAILS OF BENGAL

FOR

THE YEAR 1888.

PART A.



JUDICIAL STATEMENTS.

Showing the distribution of the PRISONERS OF ALL CLASSES

1	2	3	4			5			6			7		
STATIONS.	Place of confinement.	Class of prisoners.	Remained at the commencement of the year 1899.			Received during the year 1899.			Total.			Discharged from all causes.		
			M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Alipore, 24- Pargunnahs.	District and Central Jail.	Convicts Under-trial Civil	1,449 29	35 2	1,476 32	4,223 672	180 28 13	4,403 700 13	5,683 701	215 31 15	5,878 732 15	4,086 601	187 26 10	4,213 682 15
Diamond Harbour.	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts Under-trial	23 2	..... .....	23 2	275 204	1 1	276 205	298 296	1 1	299 297	292 107	1 1	293 108
Bhusworhat ...	Ditto ...	Convicts Under-trial	1	1	2	197 127	4 2	201 129	198 127	5 2	203 129	197 126	5 2	202 128
Baraset ...	Ditto ...	Convicts Under-trial	6 3	..... .....	6 3	145 130	5 5	150 135	151 133	5 5	156 138	144 130	5 5	149 135
Calcutta ...	District and Central Jail.	Convicts	1,120	.....	1,120	1,044	54	2,001	3,072	54	3,150	1,930	57	1,977
		Under-trial	21	6	27	305	11	374	367	17	403	243	14	257
		Civil	29	.....	29	335	11	346	361	11	375	239	11	250
Madnapore ...	District and Central Jail.	Convicts	634	5	639	800	40	840	1,524	45	1,573	840	34	920
		Under-trial	7	1	8	244	24	268	261	25	316	243	25	268
		Civil	2	.....	2	19	.....	19	21	.....	21	21	.....	21
Tumlook ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts Under-trial	..... 3	..... .....	..... 3	108 110	7 5	116 115	109 113	7 5	116 118	108 103	7 5	115 108
Ghatal ...	Ditto ...	Convicts Under-trial	2 .....	..... .....	2	102 68	9 9	111 77	104 94	9 9	113 77	102 97	9 9	111 76
Contai ...	Ditto ...	Convicts Under-trial	2 6	..... .....	2 6	122 143	6 6	128 149	124 149	6 6	130 155	123 141	6 6	129 147
Bhagulpore ...	District and Central Jail.	Convicts	1,002	14	1,016	1,342	65	1,397	2,344	73	2,417	1,234	35	1,272
		Under-trial	10	2	12	433	19	452	449	21	470	432	21	453
		Civil	12	.....	12	42	.....	42	54	.....	54	54	.....	54
Banks ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts	3	.....	3	212	13	225	215	13	228	213	13	226
		Under-trial	2	2	4	205	11	216	207	13	220	199	13	213
Mudhopoorah ...	Ditto ...	Convicts Under-trial	1 4	..... .....	1 4	100 124	1 3	110 127	110 124	1 3	111 131	104 127	1 3	109 130
Asopool ...	Ditto ...	Convicts Under-trial	..... 7	..... .....	..... 7	196 203	1 5	197 208	194 200	1 5	197 205	195 233	1 5	196 238
Buxar ...	Central Jail	Convicts	929	.....	929	1,153	.....	1,153	2,082	.....	2,082	1,027	.....	1,027
Rajshahy ...	District and Central Jail.	Convicts	682	18	700	976	37	1,013	1,688	56	1,713	800	28	887
		Under-trial	6	.....	6	313	21	334	318	25	341	310	21	331
		Civil	1	.....	1	24	.....	24	26	.....	26	24	.....	24
Natore ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts	11	.....	11	128	14	142	149	14	163	134	13	147
		Under-trial	2	.....	2	155	14	169	157	14	171	135	14	169
Sowgong ...	Ditto ...	Convicts Under-trial	1 3	..... .....	1 3	133 73	3 2	136 77	134 78	3 2	137 80	124 73	3 2	131 80
Dacca ...	District and Central Jail.	Convicts	968	3	971	1,303	42	1,455	2,361	45	2,406	1,589	38	1,657
		Under-trial	2	1	3	138	24	162	140	25	165	134	24	158
		Civil	14	.....	14	44	.....	44	68	.....	68	63	.....	63
Manickgungo ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts Under-trial	3 .....	..... .....	3	64 93	1 5	65 98	71 93	1 5	72 98	69 92	1 5	70 97
Moonshogungo ...	Ditto ...	Convicts Under-trial	1 2	..... .....	1 2	129 104	3 6	132 110	130 106	3 6	133 112	129 103	3 6	132 109
Hazaribagh ...	District Jail	Convicts	132	9	141	710	47	757	842	56	898	701	41	742
		Under-trial	5	.....	5	394	47	443	403	47	450	397	46	443
		Civil	1	.....	1	9	.....	9	10	.....	10	10	.....	10
Girdi ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts	4	1	5	422	20	442	436	21	447	412	21	433
		Under-trial	0	.....	0	371	29	400	390	29	409	379	28	407
		Civil	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Burdwan ...	District Jail	Convicts	174	8	182	615	43	658	1,089	51	1,140	919	39	958
		Under-trial	5	.....	5	219	11	230	234	11	235	213	11	223
		Civil	2	.....	2	13	.....	13	15	.....	15	15	.....	15
Cutwa ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts	1	.....	1	110	13	123	111	13	124	106	13	119
		Under-trial	1	1	2	64	9	73	65	10	75	65	8	73
Ranewumee ...	Ditto ...	Convicts Under-trial	1 5	..... .....	1 5	10 134	2 7	101 141	100 139	2 7	102 146	90 135	2 6	101 146
Culina ...	Ditto ...	Convicts	6	.....	6	49	5	54	54	5	59	43	5	48
		Under-trial	2	.....	2	40	7	47	42	7	49	39	7	46
Hooghly ...	District Jail	Convicts	115	5	120	1,093	34	1,119	1,300	39	1,339	845	32	897
		Under-trial	7	.....	7	307	18	325	314	18	332	304	18	323
		Civil	11	.....	11	49	3	51	60	3	63	47	3	50
Jehanabad ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts	4	.....	4	50	1	51	54	1	55	50	1	51
		Under-trial	1	.....	1	53	1	54	53	1	54	43	1	44
Serampore ...	Ditto ...	Convicts	3	1	4	261	9	270	266	10	276	253	10	273
		Under-trial	7	.....	7	215	3	218	222	3	225	207	3	210

SUMMARY.

confined in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

8			9			10			Class of prisoners.	Place of confinement.	STATIONS.
Remaining at the end of the year 1888.			Daily average number of each class.			Total daily average of the whole Jail.					
M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.			
1,037 35 6 9 1 1 7 3	28 6	1,065 40	1,347.37 27.51	20.94 1.16 0.25 0.03 0.06 0.01 0.00 0.03	1,578.31 28.67 0.25	1,578.08 10.10 6.28 8.53	32.35 0.08 0.07 0.00	1,007.63 10.12 6.35 8.52	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District and Central Jail. Subsidiary Jail. Ditto Ditto	Alipore, 24-Per- gunnahs. Diamond Har- bour. Bumacerhat. Baraset.
1,182 19 8 29 2 642 8 1 10 2 1 1 8	1 1										

GENERAL

Showing the distribution of the PRISONERS OF ALL CLASSES

1	2	3	4			5			6			7		
STATIONS.	Place of confinement.	Class of prisoners.	Remained at the commencement of the year 1888.			Received during the year 1888.			Total.			Discharged from all causes.		
			M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Howrah ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	4	...	4	407	21	428	411	21	432	410	21	431
		Under-trial ...	5	...	5	372	16	388	377	16	393	374	15	389
Oolobariah ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	5	...	5	124	11	135	129	11	140	117	11	128
		Under-trial ...	2	...	2	73	9	82	75	9	84	67	9	76
Moorshedabad	District Jail	Convicts ...	84	5	89	948	61	1,009	1,032	66	1,098	840	59	900
		Under-trial ...	4	...	4	124	19	147	132	19	151	128	19	147
		Civil ...	1	...	1	29	...	29	30	...	30	28	...	28
Kandi ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	...	...	...	40	4	53	40	4	53	40	4	53
		Under-trial ...	2	...	2	40	4	44	42	4	46	42	3	45
Juagypore ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	4	...	4	146	7	153	150	7	157	143	7	150
		Under-trial ...	2	...	2	91	4	95	94	4	98	88	4	92
Dumagore ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	145	8	153	786	24	812	931	24	955	740	20	760
		Under-trial ...	23	1	23	639	31	670	662	32	694	627	22	649
		Civil ...	5	...	5	36	...	36	41	...	41	41	...	41
Thakurgaon	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	6	...	6	181	6	187	187	6	193	180	6	186
		Under-trial ...	15	...	15	202	9	211	217	9	226	216	9	225
Gya ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	331	10	341	1,181	58	1,239	1,496	68	1,564	1,187	50	1,237
		Under-trial ...	32	2	34	609	67	676	641	69	710	624	44	668
		Civil ...	13	...	13	62	...	62	75	...	75	72	...	72
Nowada ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	1	...	1	179	6	185	180	6	186	167	6	173
		Under-trial ...	14	...	14	145	10	155	159	10	169	150	10	160
Jehanabad ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	17	...	17	261	7	268	278	7	285	270	7	277
		Under-trial ...	4	...	4	241	5	246	246	5	251	242	5	247
Aurangabad ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	6	1	7	251	11	262	260	12	272	261	12	273
		Under-trial ...	4	...	4	200	13	213	204	13	217	202	13	215
Bankura ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	30	3	42	192	5	197	231	8	239	210	6	216
		Under-trial ...	1	1	2	127	2	129	134	3	137	123	2	125
		Civil ...	...	...	...	7	...	7	7	...	7	7	...	7
Bishnupore ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	2	...	2	71	3	74	73	3	76	71	3	74
		Under-trial ...	2	...	2	31	2	33	33	2	35	32	2	34
Beerbhoom ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	70	6	76	231	14	245	318	20	338	295	17	312
		Under-trial ...	15	2	17	230	20	250	265	22	287	254	22	276
		Civil ...	2	...	2	9	...	9	11	...	11	9	...	9
Rampore Haut	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	3	...	3	234	17	251	241	17	258	241	17	258
		Under-trial ...	14	1	15	234	8	242	245	9	257	245	9	254
Nudda ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	161	13	177	515	20	535	679	42	721	567	34	601
		Under-trial ...	15	...	15	167	14	181	182	14	196	178	14	192
		Civil ...	1	...	1	7	...	7	8	...	8	8	...	8
Meherpore ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	...	...	...	87	8	95	87	8	95	86	8	94
		Under-trial ...	1	...	1	61	15	76	62	15	77	61	15	76
Koonthea ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	1	2	3	142	6	148	143	8	151	142	8	150
		Under-trial ...	...	...	...	92	5	97	93	5	97	94	5	99
Choodanga ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	2	...	2	79	4	83	81	4	85	79	4	83
		Under-trial ...	3	...	3	99	8	107	102	8	110	100	8	108
Banaghat ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	1	1	2	122	5	127	123	6	129	120	6	126
		Under-trial ...	5	...	5	78	5	83	83	5	88	81	5	86
Jessore ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	112	8	120	647	11	658	760	16	776	677	12	689
		Under-trial ...	4	...	4	249	2	251	253	2	255	243	2	245
		Civil ...	2	...	2	17	...	17	19	...	19	16	...	16
Narail ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	13	...	13	95	...	95	108	...	108	106	...	106
		Under-trial ...	...	...	...	40	...	40	40	...	40	40	...	40
Jhenidah ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	1	...	1	50	...	50	51	...	51	49	...	49
		Under-trial ...	...	...	...	79	1	80	79	1	80	79	1	80
Magnorah ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	3	1	4	25	...	25	24	1	25	24	1	25
		Under-trial ...	...	...	...	44	1	45	44	1	45	43	1	44
Nonmang ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	2	...	2	24	1	25	25	1	26	24	1	25
		Under-trial ...	2	...	2	28	2	30	29	2	31	28	2	30
Bungpore ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	234	12	246	739	22	761	991	25	1,016	763	20	783
		Under-trial ...	17	...	17	223	18	241	270	19	289	262	18	280
		Civil ...	24	...	24	28	1	29	73	1	74	69	1	70
Gaibanda ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	7	...	7	100	4	104	104	4	108	100	4	104
		Under-trial ...	4	...	4	120	2	122	123	2	125	120	2	122
Nilphamaree ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	2	...	2	102	5	107	104	5	109	99	5	104
		Under-trial ...	1	...	1	144	2	146	146	2	148	143	2	145
Kurigan ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	4	...	4	112	4	116	123	4	127	112	4	116
		Under-trial ...	6	...	6	149	4	153	151	4	155	145	4	149
Bogra ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	30	8	38	211	19	230	241	26	267	212	24	236
		Under-trial ...	4	...	4	201	23	224	226	23	249	194	19	213
		Civil ...	6	...	6	28	...	28	31	...	31	30	...	30

SUMMARY—continued.

confined in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888—continued.

8			9			10			Class of prisoners.	Place of confinement.	STATIONS.
Remaining at the end of the year 1888.			Daily average number of each class.			Total daily average of the whole Jail.					
M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.			
1	...	1	8'88	0'14	8'80	12'87	0'42	13'29	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Howrah.
3	...	4	7'21	0'28	7'49						
12	...	12	1'71	0'14	1'85	3'84	0'56	4'40	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Oolobariah.
8	...	8	2'13	0'42	2'55						
183	7	190	187'61	10'16	197'77	163'55	11'00	174'55	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Moorshedabad
6	...	6	4'09	0'84	4'53						
2	...	2	1'25	.....	1'25						
.....	1	.....	0'61	0'01	0'62	2'03	0'18	2'18	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Kandi.
.....	1'48	0'16	1'65						
7	...	7	1'70	0'16	1'86	5'11	0'31	5'42	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Jungypore.
1	...	1	5'41	0'18	5'59						
183	5	187	181'80	6'62	188'42	221'36	7'53	228'89	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Dinapore.
25	...	25	37'45	1'01	38'46						
.....	5'41	.....	5'41						
7	...	7	8'37	0'13	8'70	14'10	0'28	14'38	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Thakurgaon.
1	...	1	8'53	0'18	8'68						
306	9	317	333'86	14'78	348'65	361'05	16'68	377'73	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Gya.
13	1	14	24'16	1'39	25'55						
3	...	3	3'03	.....	3'03						
13	...	13	2'84	0'04	3'00	6'08	0'32	7'30	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Nowada.
3	...	3	4'04	0'26	4'30						
8	...	8	4'74	0'05	4'79	12'07	0'18	12'85	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Jehanabad.
23	...	23	7'53	0'13	8'06						
9	...	9	4'27	0'21	4'48	10'42	0'46	10'88	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Aurnugabad.
2	...	2	6'15	0'25	6'40						
21	2	23	37'79	2'30	40'09	43'89	2'34	46'23	Convicts Under-trial Civil	Intermediate Jail.	Bankoora.
3	...	3	5'25	0'04	5'29						
.....	0'06	.....	0'06						
2	...	2	1'11	0'08	1'14	3'24	0'13	3'37	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Bishenpore.
1	...	1	1'13	0'10	1'23						
18	3	21	28'47	2'17	30'64	35'02	2'07	41'29	Convicts Under-trial Civil	Intermediate Jail.	Beerbhoom.
9	...	9	9'34	0'50	9'84						
2	...	2	0'57	.....	0'57						
.....	5'21	0'10	5'41	12'07	0'33	13'30	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Rampore Haut.
3	...	3	7'75	0'14	7'89						
112	8	120	104'10	7'58	111'68	112'45	8'01	120'46	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Nudda.
4	...	4	7'08	0'43	7'50						
.....	0'39	.....	0'39						
1	...	1	0'88	0'10	1'04	2'52	0'32	3'04	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Meherpore.
1	...	1	1'44	0'36	2'00						
1	...	1	1'41	0'08	1'46	3'92	0'09	4'01	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Koontea.
6	...	6	2'11	0'04	2'15						
2	...	2	1'12	0'07	1'19	4'06	0'18	4'14	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Choudanga.
2	1	3	5'65	0'11	5'95						
2	...	2	1'75	0'03	1'78	4'55	0'23	4'74	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Ranaghat.
2	...	2	2'80	0'20	3'00						
183	4	188	183'44	4'17	187'61	146'12	4'25	153'37	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Jessore.
10	...	10	14'24	0'06	14'30						
3	...	3	1'15	.....	1'15						
.....	1'87	.....	1'87	3'22	.....	3'22	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Narail.
2	...	2	1'25	.....	1'25						
2	...	2	0'38	.....	0'38	3'34	0'04	3'34	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Jhenidah.
.....	5'96	0'04	5'00						
8	...	8	1'95	.....	1'95	3'72	0'03	3'75	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Makoorah.
1	...	1	1'79	0'03	1'82						
.....	0'79	0'01	0'80	3'50	0'12	3'62	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Bongong.
.....	2'71	0'11	2'82						
230	5	235	222'26	8'14	230'40	235'54	5'51	247'05	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Bungpore.
8	...	8	11'07	0'34	11'51						
3	...	3	4'71	0'03	4'74						
7	...	7	6'85	0'06	6'81	12'55	0'07	12'63	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Gaibanda.
4	...	4	6'01	0'01	6'02						
6	...	6	2'74	0'10	2'84	5'15	0'11	5'29	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Nilphamaree.
3	...	3	5'44	0'01	5'45						
5	...	5	2'30	0'12	2'42	5'73	0'41	6'14	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Kurigan.
6	...	6	5'95	0'29	6'24						
20	...	20	25'20	1'00	26'20	57'07	2'56	59'63	Convicts Under-trial Civil	Intermediate Jail.	Bogra.
11	3	14	8'61	0'07	8'68						
1	...	1	2'15	2'15						

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Showing the distribution of the PRISONERS OF ALL CLASSES

1	2	3	4			5			6			7		
STATIONS.	Place of confinement.	Class of prisoners.	Remained at the commencement of the year 1888.			Received during the year 1888.			Total.			Discharged from all causes.		
			M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Farrukpore ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	149	3	152	1,119	5	1,124	1,308	8	1,316	1,075	6	1,081
		Under-trial	21	...	21	334	5	339	379	5	384	353	5	358
		Civil ...	4	...	4	18	...	18	23	...	23	21	...	21
Gonda ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	2	...	2	161	...	161	163	...	163	163	...	163
		Under-trial	3	...	3	167	...	160	169	...	163	160	...	163
Madarapur ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	19	...	19	334	2	336	353	2	355	336	2	338
		Under-trial	6	...	6	217	1	218	223	1	224	201	...	201
Hackergunge ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	260	1	260	1,171	19	1,190	1,430	20	1,450	1,208	15	1,223
		Under-trial	16	1	17	374	19	393	389	20	409	346	19	365
		Civil ...	15	...	15	74	1	75	89	1	90	86	1	87
Persepolis ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	5	...	5	262	3	265	267	3	270	259	3	262
		Under-trial	4	...	4	232	5	237	236	5	241	234	5	239
Patna ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	3	...	3	204	1	205	207	1	208	200	1	201
		Under-trial	6	...	6	136	2	138	142	2	144	142	2	144
Rhola ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	1	...	1	154	...	154	159	...	159	111	...	111
		Under-trial	2	...	2	80	1	81	82	1	83	82	1	83
Mymensingh ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	180	6	186	1,229	32	1,261	1,409	38	1,447	1,092	33	1,125
		Under-trial	17	1	18	452	18	470	469	19	488	423	18	441
		Civil ...	12	...	12	72	1	73	84	1	85	83	1	84
Alm ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	24	...	24	173	4	177	197	4	201	183	4	187
		Under-trial	3	...	3	149	2	150	150	2	152	147	2	149
Jamulpore ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	2	...	2	155	4	159	157	4	161	152	4	156
		Under-trial	3	...	3	180	7	187	182	7	189	167	7	174
Kishoreganj ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	30	...	30	261	4	265	291	4	295	283	4	287
		Under-trial	1	...	1	119	4	123	120	4	124	118	4	122
		Civil ...	...	...	...	3	...	3	3	...	3	3	...	3
Netrokona ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	13	1	14	174	3	177	187	4	191	183	4	187
		Under-trial	2	...	2	153	1	154	155	1	156	150	1	151
Chittagong ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	74	2	76	471	9	480	546	11	557	443	9	452
		Under-trial	13	...	13	238	8	246	250	8	258	239	8	247
		Civil ...	5	...	5	21	...	21	26	...	26	24	...	24
Cox's Bazar ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	...	...	...	53	1	54	53	1	54	52	1	53
		Under-trial	...	...	...	59	3	61	59	3	61	55	3	57
Noakhali ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	71	...	71	364	8	372	439	8	447	370	7	377
		Under-trial	12	...	12	207	9	216	219	8	227	217	8	225
		Civil ...	6	...	6	66	1	67	71	1	72	66	1	67
Fenny ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	...	...	...	55	...	55	55	...	55	55	...	55
		Under-trial	...	...	...	47	...	47	47	...	47	46	...	46
Patna ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	116	10	126	834	46	880	970	54	1,024	816	30	846
		Under-trial	20	2	22	442	15	457	471	17	488	451	17	468
		Civil ...	9	1	10	32	...	32	31	1	32	29	1	30
Barrh ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	1	...	1	109	5	114	110	5	115	110	5	115
		Under-trial	7	...	7	141	4	145	148	4	152	141	4	145
Meher ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	...	...	...	236	8	244	248	8	256	244	8	252
		Under-trial	8	1	9	267	8	275	283	9	292	263	9	272
Mahabud ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	133	12	145	824	26	850	967	30	1,007	831	28	859
		Under-trial	24	2	26	518	22	540	542	24	566	522	24	546
		Civil ...	6	...	6	18	1	19	24	1	25	23	1	24
Sameram ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	6	...	6	249	13	262	268	13	281	261	13	274
		Under-trial	9	2	11	267	13	280	296	15	311	294	15	309
Buxar ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	4	...	4	112	6	118	116	6	122	116	6	122
		Under-trial	3	...	3	230	10	240	243	10	253	238	10	248
Bhuboosh ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	7	...	7	166	8	174	173	8	181	172	8	180
		Under-trial	...	...	...	139	17	156	159	11	170	149	11	160
Mouafferpore ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	151	27	178	851	26	877	702	33	735	589	44	633
		Under-trial	19	4	23	292	29	321	311	33	344	285	33	318
		Civil ...	6	...	6	17	...	17	23	...	23	22	...	22
Hajepore ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	6	...	6	143	9	152	149	9	158	145	9	154
		Under-trial	1	1	2	91	8	99	98	9	107	90	9	99
Sectamurhee ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	3	...	3	239	12	251	248	12	260	235	12	247
		Under-trial	1	...	1	163	8	171	164	8	172	160	8	168
Sarua ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	209	12	221	857	26	883	1,044	30	1,074	883	28	911
		Under-trial	3	2	5	325	25	350	353	27	380	312	25	337
		Civil ...	6	...	6	19	1	20	25	1	26	25	1	26
Sewan ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	...	...	...	234	17	251	236	17	253	230	17	247
		Under-trial	...	...	...	211	16	227	219	16	235	207	16	223
		Civil ...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	...	2	2	...	2
Gopalgunge ...	Ditto ...	Convicts ...	1	...	1	223	14	237	233	14	247	226	14	240
		Under-trial	180	21	201	196	21	217	179	21	200

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8			9			10			Class of prisoners.	Place of confinement.	STATIONS.
Remaining at the end of the year 1888.			Daily average number of each class.			Total daily average of the whole Jail.					
M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.			
235 26 1	3	238 26 1	215.71 24.48 1.09	2.06 0.86 ...	218.67 25.34 1.09	253.46	3.53	257.00	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Furruckpore.
10	1	11	2.07 4.58	0.13 ...	2.07 4.96	6.98	0.13	7.05	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Gondwado.
29 23	... 1	17 23	6.84 11.73	0.06 0.15	6.87 11.87	18.56	0.18	18.74	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Madanepore.
226 23 1	5	230 24 1	226.04 23.14 5.74	4.86 1.38 0.06	230.90 24.46 5.79	316.93	6.33	321.15	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Backergunge.
6 13	... ...	8 13	6.97 10.69	0.01 0.26	6.98 10.95	17.66	0.27	17.93	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Perampore.
7	...	7	4.58 2.56	... 0.08	4.58 2.56	8.14	0.03	8.17	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Patcoakhally.
46	...	46	4.87 2.34	... ...	4.87 2.34	7.21	...	7.21	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Bhola.
217 46 1	5 1 ...	222 47 1	220.16 26.54 4.76	5.25 1.89 0.02	225.71 28.37 4.78	261.30	7.54	269.06	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail...	Mymensingh.
4 3	... ...	4 3	6.97 4.46	0.13 0.31	7.10 4.49	11.45	0.14	11.59	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Attia.
5 13	... ...	5 13	4.47 13.10	0.06 0.79	4.43 13.69	17.57	0.85	18.42	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Jamulpore.
6 3	... ...	6 3	11.54 3.56	0.07 0.13	11.63 3.69	15.22	0.20	15.42	Convicts Under-trial Civil	Ditto	Kishoregunge.
5 5	... ...	5 5	3.80 8.27	0.04 0.03	3.84 8.30	12.07	0.07	12.14	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Netrokona.
102 11 2	3	104 11 2	96.32 13.43 2.93	2.74 0.06 ...	99.06 14.29 2.93	112.90	3.40	116.30	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Chittagong.
1 4	... ...	1 4	0.92 1.96	0.03 0.02	0.95 1.98	2.86	0.06	2.93	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Cox's Bazar.
60 2 3	1	61 2 3	55.65 9.73 3.06	0.44 0.23 0.03	56.10 10.23 3.08	68.45	0.96	69.43	Convicts Under-trial Civil	Intermediate Jail.	Noakhally.
1	...	1	1.10 3.78	... ...	1.10 3.78	3.24	...	3.24	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Fenny.
154 20 2	19	173 20 2	129.38 25.61 1.07	5.46 1.15 0.09	134.78 26.76 1.06	165.96	9.64	166.00	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Patna.
7	...	7	1.43 5.91	0.06 0.09	1.49 6.00	7.34	0.16	7.60	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Barrh.
1 23	... ...	1 23	3.77 10.73	0.09 0.34	3.86 11.09	14.02	0.43	14.45	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Behar.
126 20 1	13	139 20 1	127.31 21.14 1.58	10.72 0.78 0.06	138.03 21.92 1.63	160.63	11.55	161.58	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Mahabud.
7 2	... ...	7 2	6.92 14.73	0.22 0.47	7.24 15.20	21.66	0.79	22.44	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Masaram.
1 5	... ...	1 5	6.15 7.98	0.06 0.23	6.26 8.26	8.06	0.36	8.46	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Buxar.
1 10	3	3 10	3.91 6.13	0.18 0.26	4.09 6.46	10.09	0.46	10.55	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Bhubanah.
162 6 1	19	181 6 1	146.29 13.54 1.46	15.68 1.34 ...	161.97 14.73 1.46	183.99	19.92	183.31	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Mouafferpore.
1 2	... ...	1 2	1.94 3.36	0.09 0.25	2.03 3.36	5.33	0.34	5.93	Convicts Under-trial	Subsidiary Jail.	Hajepore.
2 2	1	3 2	3.10 6.20	0.18 0.13	3.28 6.23	9.36	0.26	9.66	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Sontamurhee.
191 16 1	3	194 16 1	179.72 13.48 1.37	10.28 1.39 ...	189.97 14.61 1.37	191.13	12.56	203.65	Convicts Under-trial Civil	District Jail	Karun.
6 13	... ...	6 13	3.23 6.41 0.36	0.14 0.09 ...	3.39 7.10 0.36	6.73	0.36	10.57	Convicts Under-trial Civil	Subsidiary Jail.	Nawan.
278 8	... ...	278 8	278 5.17	0.25 0.77	278 5.94	7.96	0.25	8.27	Convicts Under-trial	Ditto	Gopalgunge.

Showing the distribution of the PRISONERS OF ALL CLASSES

1	2	3	4			5			6			7		
STATIONS.	Place of confinement.	Class of prisoners.	Remained at the commencement of the year 1886.			Received during the year 1886.			Total.			Discharged from all causes.		
			M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Chumpanun ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	124	9	133	349	32	381	713	41	754	533	28	561
		Under-trial ...	6	1	7	378	19	397	383	20	403	377	19	396
		Civil ...	8	...	8	20	...	28	36	...	36	35	...	35
Bettiah ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	8	...	8	346	23	369	361	23	383	300	22	322
		Under-trial ...	18	1	19	394	18	412	408	19	427	388	18	406
Monghyr ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	196	13	209	1,450	34	1,484	1,644	47	1,692	1,333	35	1,368
		Under-trial ...	31	...	31	563	24	587	614	24	638	500	23	523
		Civil ...	14	...	14	45	...	45	59	...	59	50	...	50
Jamocoe ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	21	...	21	462	14	476	485	14	497	475	14	489
		Under-trial ...	17	...	17	416	13	429	438	13	451	429	13	442
Begoesra ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	8	1	9	240	8	248	248	8	256	243	8	251
		Under-trial ...	1	...	1	166	6	172	167	6	173	155	6	161
		Civil ...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1
Purneah ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	73	3	76	380	8	387	388	11	399	315	8	323
		Under-trial ...	10	...	10	304	10	314	316	10	326	304	10	314
		Civil ...	8	...	8	21	...	21	29	...	29	28	...	28
Khasengunge ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	11	...	11	121	4	125	132	4	136	120	4	124
		Under-trial ...	14	...	14	214	7	221	228	7	235	208	7	215
Arracah ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	18	...	18	98	7	105	116	7	123	116	7	123
		Under-trial ...	11	...	11	123	13	136	134	13	147	118	12	130
Cuttack ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	235	7	242	960	35	1,004	1,204	62	1,266	900	35	1,034
		Under-trial ...	14	1	15	464	24	488	502	25	527	458	23	481
		Civil ...	6	...	6	14	...	14	20	...	20	20	...	20
Jajpore ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	...	...	...	107	8	115	107	8	115	107	8	115
		Under-trial ...	4	...	4	94	5	101	100	5	105	95	5	100
Kendrapara ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	3	...	3	97	3	100	99	3	102	94	3	97
		Under-trial ...	...	...	...	58	2	60	58	2	60	50	2	52
Uingool ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	21	...	21	108	4	112	120	4	124	121	4	125
		Under-trial ...	6	...	6	191	5	196	197	5	202	191	5	196
Khond Mehal ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	1	...	1	65	7	72	66	7	73	61	7	68
		Under-trial ...	...	...	...	74	6	80	74	6	80	74	6	80
Maldah ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	57	2	59	248	7	255	255	9	264	221	7	228
		Under-trial ...	7	...	7	233	6	239	240	6	246	220	6	226
		Civil ...	3	...	3	32	...	32	34	...	34	30	...	30
Pubna ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	30	4	34	280	6	286	290	10	300	257	8	265
		Under-trial ...	11	...	11	238	12	250	250	12	262	227	11	238
		Civil ...	1	...	1	21	...	21	23	...	23	22	...	22
Beraungoo ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	11	...	11	190	2	192	201	2	203	188	2	190
		Under-trial ...	31	...	31	232	9	241	253	9	262	240	9	249
Darjeeling ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	68	8	76	304	31	335	373	26	399	302	23	325
		Under-trial ...	...	...	...	138	10	148	158	19	177	145	19	164
		Civil ...	2	...	2	8	3	11	7	3	10	6	3	9
Billigoree ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	...	...	...	60	5	65	60	5	65	60	5	65
		Under-trial ...	2	1	3	94	7	101	96	8	104	94	8	102
Kurseong ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	1	...	1	38	8	46	39	8	47	39	8	47
		Under-trial ...	...	...	...	34	4	38	34	4	38	34	4	38
Julpigoree ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	27	3	30	380	15	395	413	17	430	371	13	384
		Under-trial ...	30	...	30	302	17	319	340	17	357	333	17	350
		Civil ...	4	...	4	23	...	23	27	...	27	25	...	25
Alipore ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	...	...	...	87	4	91	87	4	91	87	4	91
		Under-trial ...	4	...	4	106	6	112	110	6	116	110	6	116
		Civil ...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	...	2	2	...	2
Tipperah ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	48	4	52	441	8	449	489	12	501	427	10	437
		Under-trial ...	9	...	9	172	8	179	181	8	189	167	8	175
		Civil ...	9	...	9	40	...	40	49	...	49	40	...	40
Brahmunbariah ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	16	...	16	340	3	343	346	3	349	320	3	323
		Under-trial ...	4	...	4	102	5	107	108	5	111	101	5	106
		Civil ...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1
Ghandpore ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	2	...	2	210	2	212	213	2	215	210	2	212
		Under-trial ...	3	...	3	30	3	33	31	3	34	32	3	35
Durbhanga ...	District Jail	Convicts ...	125	11	136	437	22	459	583	33	626	519	25	544
		Under-trial ...	6	1	7	245	12	257	263	14	277	254	14	268
		Civil ...	2	...	2	16	...	16	16	...	16	17	...	17
Mudhoobunnee ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	3	...	3	198	6	204	200	6	206	197	6	203
		Under-trial ...	1	...	1	188	6	194	195	6	198	186	6	192
Tajpore ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	1	...	1	240	5	245	241	6	247	228	6	234
		Under-trial ...	1	1	2	320	13	323	320	14	334	325	13	338
Pooree ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	23	3	26	294	15	309	317	18	335	294	16	310
		Under-trial ...	7	...	7	200	12	212	207	13	220	207	11	218
		Civil ...	2	...	2	6	...	6	10	...	10	10	...	10

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8			9			10			Class of prisoners.	Place of confinement.	STATIONS.
Remaining at the end of the year 1888.			Daily average number of each class.			Total daily average of the whole Jail.					
M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.			
161 6 1	13 1 ...	174 7 1	166'88 16'08 3'43	11'08 1'39	187'13 17'47 3'43	164'38	12'44	177'03	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	District Jail	Chumpanan.
1 9	1 ...	1 10	4'92 16'13	0'09 0'58	5'01 16'68	30'05	0'64	30'69	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Bettiah.
313 34	19 1	334 35	285'55 30'31 4'08	10'35 0'87	275'70 31'18 4'08	299'74	11'23	310'96	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	District Jail	Monghyr.
8 10	...	8 10	8'91 19'12	0'25 0'96	9'14 20'08	28'63	1'31	30'34	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Jamocoe.
5 13	1 ...	6 13	4'08 6'11 0'03	0'06 0'05	4'15 6'13 0'03	10'23	0'08	10'30	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	Ditto ...	Begooesra.
67 18 1	3 ...	50 13 1	64'21 13'27 1'08	3'71 0'70	68'93 13'97 1'08	78'16	3'41	81'57	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	Intermediate Jail.	Purneah.
18 20	...	12 20	4'78 10'74	0'17 0'26	4'89 11'00	15'46	0'43	16'29	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Klasengunge.
16	1	17	9'05 7'30	0'31 0'64	9'36 8'54	16'36	0'35	17'30	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Arrareah.
205 43	7 3	212 46	241'15 24'46 1'31	8'87 1'51	249'83 25'97 1'32	266'93	10'16	277'11	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	District Jail	Outback.
5	...	5	1'63 3'81	0'07 0'20	1'70 3'01	4'44	0'27	4'71	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Jajpore.
5 2	...	5 2	0'74 1'20	0'04 0'09	0'78 1'34	2'00	0'13	2'13	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Ditto ...	Kendrapara.
8 6	...	8 6	5'41 7'51	0'09 0'09	5'50 7'60	12'92	0'18	13'10	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Ditto ...	Uncool.
18	...	18	3'67 4'38	0'16 0'38	3'83 4'71	8'00	0'54	8'54	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Ditto ...	Khond Mahal.
44 11 4	2 ...	46 11 4	37'82 8'57 3'64	0'35 0'29	38'47 8'86 3'64	49'73	1'24	50'97	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	Intermediate Jail.	Maldah.
53 13	2 1	54 13	41'95 21'78 0'94	2'45 1'75	44'40 23'53 0'94	64'67	4'30	68'97	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	Ditto ...	Pubna.
15	...	15	5'08 12'91	0'06 0'20	5'04 13'11	18'59	0'34	19'15	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Rorajungoo.
70 1	4 ...	74 1	72'27 8'18 0'30	5'80 0'58 0'15	77'77 8'81 0'45	77'73	0'30	84'08	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	District Jail	Darjeeling.
15	...	15	2'35 3'47	0'15 0'12	2'50 3'59	6'32	0'27	6'59	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Billigoree.
...	...	...	0'31 0'67	0'15 0'03	0'46 0'70	1'08	0'18	1'26	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Ditto ...	Kurmoong.
48 7 2	2 ...	46 7 2	46'41 22'90 2'13	2'55 0'81	48'56 23'71 2'13	70'16	3'36	73'50	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	Intermediate Jail.	Julpigoree.
...	...	...	1'19 5'08 0'07	0'01 0'08	1'11 5'04 0'07	7'13	0'07	7'32	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Allpore.
22 14 1	3 ...	24 14 1	39'92 16'28 3'57	1'16 0'39	41'08 16'81 3'57	54'31	1'48	55'76	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	Intermediate Jail.	Tipperah.
27 8	...	27 5	12'48 4'19 0'33	0'04 0'06	12'53 4'27 0'33	17'39	0'13	17'51	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Brahmun- bariah.
2 3	...	2 3	8'43 2'48	0'01 0'08	8'44 2'51	10'91	0'04	10'96	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Ditto ...	Chandpore.
148 15 1	3 ...	151 15 1	132'54 9'79 1'37	7'28 0'78	139'73 10'55 1'37	135'20	8'04	142'24	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	District Jail	Durbhanga.
8 8	...	8 8	2'75 5'05	0'07 0'11	2'82 5'16	8'46	0'12	8'58	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Mudho- bunnee.
8 3	...	8 7	2'74 6'49	0'06 0'51	2'80 7'00	10'23	0'57	10'80	Convicts ... Under-trial ...	Ditto ...	Tajpore.
28 10	2 1	30 11	23'93 7'14 1'45	2'47 0'28	26'40 7'47 1'45	49'19	2'20	51'39	Convicts ... Under-trial ... Civil ...	Intermediate Jail.	Pooree.

GENERAL

Showing the distribution of the PRISONERS OF ALL CLASSES

1	2	3	4			5			6			7		
STATIONS.	Place of confinement.	Class of prisoners.	Remained at the commencement of the year 1898.			Received during the year 1898.			Total.			Discharged from all causes.		
			M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Khordah ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	7	...	7	108	2	200	205	2	207	204	2	206
		Under-trial	...	...	...	194	3	197	194	3	197	183	3	191
Balasore ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	29	4	33	220	17	246	248	21	270	220	15	235
		Under-trial	19	1	20	222	9	231	232	10	242	227	10	237
Bhuddruck ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	1	...	1	79	2	82	80	2	82	80	2	82
		Under-trial	13	...	13	43	5	48	61	5	66	61	5	66
Lohardugga ...	District Jail.	Convicts ...	155	2	157	511	19	530	666	23	689	575	20	595
		Under-trial	24	1	25	554	25	579	578	26	604	561	24	585
		Civil ...	2	...	2	12	...	12	14	...	14	14	...	14
Palamow ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	12	...	12	204	17	221	216	17	233	208	13	221
		Under-trial	3	...	3	211	17	228	214	17	231	207	17	224
		Civil ...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	...	2	2	...	2
Mingbhoom ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	42	2	44	211	22	233	223	24	247	207	24	231
		Under-trial	1	1	2	264	22	286	265	23	288	250	23	273
		Civil ...	...	...	...	4	...	4	4	...	4	4	...	4
Manbhoom ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	47	4	51	253	23	276	260	27	287	240	24	264
		Under-trial	5	...	5	255	24	279	259	24	283	212	23	235
		Civil ...	0	...	0	27	1	28	34	1	35	31	1	32
Govindpore ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	1	...	1	104	10	114	105	10	115	105	10	115
		Under-trial	10	...	10	145	4	149	155	4	159	145	4	149
Khoolna ...	Intermediate Jail.	Convicts ...	16	...	16	245	9	254	252	9	261	245	7	252
		Under-trial	14	...	14	205	7	212	212	7	219	212	7	219
		Civil ...	2	...	2	21	...	21	23	...	23	23	...	23
Sathirm ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Convicts ...	2	...	2	174	2	176	177	2	179	171	2	173
		Under-trial	3	...	3	149	2	151	152	2	154	144	2	146
Bagirhat ...	Ditto	Convicts ...	6	...	6	178	1	179	184	1	185	181	1	182
		Under-trial	20	...	20	147	2	149	157	2	159	155	2	157
Nya Doojka, Bonthal Pergunnabs.	Ditto	Convicts ...	1	...	1	325	24	349	326	24	350	322	24	346
		Under-trial	25	...	25	401	28	429	426	28	454	471	28	500
Godda	Ditto	Convicts ...	1	...	1	102	10	112	103	10	113	109	8	117
		Under-trial	3	...	3	125	8	133	128	8	136	125	8	133
Total for Central and District Jails.			10,538	275	10,813	30,068	1,142	32,110	41,506	1,417	42,923	30,024	1,118	31,142
		Under-trial	416	33	447	10,518	594	11,114	10,933	624	11,557	10,471	604	11,075
		Civil ...	207	2	210	1,140	46	1,186	1,353	30	1,382	1,319	26	1,345
Total			11,161	210	11,371	42,832	1,774	44,606	53,792	2,064	55,856	41,816	1,745	43,561
Total for Intermediate Jails.			650	41	691	4,792	170	4,962	4,942	218	5,160	4,350	186	4,536
		Under-trial	144	5	149	3,682	136	3,818	3,826	191	4,017	3,600	123	3,723
		Civil ...	48	...	48	366	2	368	354	2	356	340	2	342
Total			848	47	895	8,380	364	8,744	9,122	411	9,533	8,390	378	8,768
Total for all Jails.			11,189	317	11,506	38,380	1,318	39,698	48,448	1,635	50,083	34,374	1,306	35,680
		Under-trial	530	37	567	14,300	732	15,032	14,759	819	15,578	14,101	728	14,829
		Civil ...	235	2	237	1,454	38	1,492	1,707	41	1,748	1,650	41	1,691
Total			12,008	357	12,365	40,812	1,356	42,168	50,155	1,676	51,831	35,974	1,347	37,371
Total for Subsidiary Jails.			435	10	445	14,089	542	14,631	14,494	553	15,047	14,067	542	14,609
		Under-trial	394	11	405	12,884	500	13,384	12,872	521	13,393	12,885	501	13,386
		Civil ...	...	...	...	12	...	12	12	...	12	12	...	12
Total			530	21	551	14,101	542	14,643	15,047	573	15,620	14,097	543	14,640
GRAND TOTAL			11,623	332	11,955	42,919	1,901	44,820	53,642	2,155	55,797	40,021	1,390	41,411
		Under-trial	944	48	992	27,085	1,348	28,433	28,548	1,416	29,964	24,586	1,374	25,960
		Civil ...	255	2	257	1,454	38	1,492	1,719	41	1,760	1,671	41	1,712
Total			12,032	378	12,410	42,539	1,386	43,925	55,361	2,157	57,517	40,097	1,395	41,671

SUMMARY—concluded.

confined in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888—concluded.

8			9			10			Class of Prisoners.	Place of confinement.	STATIONS.
Remaining at the end of the year 1888.			Daily average number of each class.			Total daily average of the whole Jail.					
M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.			
1	...	1	3'32	0'02	3'34	8'29	0'12	8'41	Convicts ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Khordah.
6	...	6	4'97	0'10	5'07				Under-trial ...		
38	6	44	51'73	2'98	54'71	46'08	2'52	48'58	Convicts ...	Intermediate Jail.	Balasore.
5	...	5	14'33	0'54	15'27				Under-trial ...		
...	...	...	1'45	0'06	1'48	3'40	0'23	3'72	Convicts ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Bhuddruck.
...	...	...	2'06	0'18	2'24				Under-trial ...		
91	2	93	132'46	3'37	135'83	161'44	4'53	165'77	Convicts ...	District Jail.	Lohardugga.
17	...	17	27'52	0'30	28'46				Under-trial ...		
...	...	...	1'46	...	1'46				Civil ...		
12	4	16	23'03	1'79	24'82	29'89	2'17	32'05	Convicts ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Palamow.
7	...	7	0'48	0'38	1'26				Under-trial ...		
...	...	...	0'17	...	0'17				Civil ...		
46	...	46	56'14	2'79	58'55	70'23	3'59	73'82	Convicts ...	Intermediate Jail.	Singbhoom.
15	...	15	13'33	0'30	14'73				Under-trial ...		
...	...	...	0'16	...	0'16				Civil ...		
101	3	104	62'08	5'07	67'15	79'54	5'50	85'29	Convicts ...	Ditto	Manbhoom.
18	1	19	15'38	0'40	16'18				Under-trial ...		
...	...	...	1'33	...	1'33				Civil ...		
...	...	...	2'02	0'28	2'30	5'40	0'24	5'64	Convicts ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Gowindpore.
...	...	...	3'38	0'02	3'40				Under-trial ...		
19	2	21	17'19	2'08	19'27	32'15	2'50	34'74	Convicts ...	Intermediate Jail.	Khoolna.
7	...	7	13'74	0'51	14'05				Under-trial ...		
...	...	...	1'42	...	1'42				Civil ...		
6	...	6	3'04	0'14	3'08	12'09	0'15	12'24	Convicts ...	Subsidiary Jail.	Bathura.
8	...	8	9'05	0'11	9'16				Under-trial ...		
3	...	3	4'08	0'03	4'11	12'89	0'04	12'97	Convicts ...	Ditto	Bagurhat.
12	...	12	8'81	0'05	8'86				Under-trial ...		
4	...	4	4'65	0'38	5'03	25'07	2'57	27'44	Convicts ...	Ditto	Nya Doomba, Moulai Pergunnah.
15	2	17	26'42	1'30	27'41				Under-trial ...		
4	3	7	3'19	0'11	3'30	7'20	0'23	7'40	Convicts ...	Ditto	Godda.
3	...	3	4'07	0'12	4'19				Under-trial ...		
11,482	209	11,781	11,149'89	280'81	11,459'40	11,740'64	318'84	12,058'23	Convicts ...	Total for Central and District Jails.	
483	20	503	526'85	24'30	551'15				Under-trial ...		
34	...	34	73'91	0'04	73'95				Civil ...		
11,978	319	12,297	11,740'64	318'84	12,058'22	...	...	...	Total.		
602	30	632	570'64	32'01	602'65	775'31	40'27	815'58	Convicts ...	Total for Intermediate Jails.	
124	6	130	171'43	4'24	175'67				Under-trial ...		
14	...	14	23'24	0'02	23'26				Civil ...		
748	36	778	775'31	40'27	815'58	...	...	...	Total.		
12,974	389	13,363	11,739'53	321'53	12,051'06	12,924'96	368'35	13,293'80	Convicts ...	Total for all Jails.	
598	26	624	609'27	30'53	639'80				Under-trial ...		
48	...	48	95'15	0'70	95'85				Civil ...		
12,780	385	13,075	12,324'96	358'35	12,683'30	...	...	...	Total.		
497	11	508	318'05	9'31	327'36	617'99	29'46	647'45	Convicts ...	Total for Subsidiary Jails.	
676	16	692	409'46	20'15	429'61				Under-trial ...		
...	...	...	0'49	...	0'49				Civil ...		
888	27	915	517'99	29'46	547'45	...	...	...	Total.		
12,981	390	13,371	12,647'24	330'53	12,977'77	13,348'94	398'31	13,746'25	Convicts ...	GRAND TOTAL.	
1,576	48	1,624	1,184'73	56'78	1,241'51				Under-trial ...		
68	...	68	95'05	0'70	95'75				Civil ...		
13,558	398	13,956	13,348'94	398'31	13,746'25	...	...	...	Total.		

STATEMENT

Showing the Number and Disposal of the CONVICTS in the

	1	2	3		4		5		6							
									RECEIVED BY							
									A.							
									TO UNDERGO SENTENCE							
									From jails in the province.	From subsidiary jails in the province.	From jails outside the province.					
Serial number.	JAILS.	Remained at the close of the previous year.	Imprisoned during the present year.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central ...	1,440	33	880	28	2,320	63	725	80	650	25	141	...	...	...
	2	Presidency—District and Central ...	1,120	...	1,334	54	2,463	54	809	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Disto—European ...	26	...	213	12	220	12	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Midnapore—District and Central ...	638	5	402	21	1,040	26	226	4	201	15	1	...	...	...
	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central ...	1,002	18	340	15	1,351	33	567	21	434	9	1	...	...	...
	5	Buxar—Central ...	920	...	223	...	1,122	...	929	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Rajshahye—District and Central ...	682	18	296	12	978	30	495	14	185	11	...	...	...	...
	7	Dacca—District and Central ...	968	3	490	24	1,448	27	597	5	515	13	...	...	...	...
	8	Hazaribagh ...	132	9	308	32	440	41	62	...	280	13	...	...	...	...
	9	Burdwan ...	174	8	217	8	361	16	220	9	476	26	2	...	...	...
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	10	Hoochly ...	115	5	191	11	306	16	358	2	536	21	...	...	...	...
	11	Moorshedabad ...	84	5	228	14	312	10	43	1	677	46	...	...	...	...
	12	Dinapore ...	145	8	407	14	552	22	80	1	290	11	...	...	...	...
	13	Gya ...	331	10	502	37	893	47	166	3	496	16	1	...	...	...
	14	Naddea ...	164	13	140	7	313	20	30	3	327	19	...	...	...	...
	15	Jessore ...	112	5	196	7	307	12	112	1	238	3	2	...	...	...
	16	Rungpore ...	254	12	276	11	620	23	66	2	304	9	...	...	...	...
	17	Furruckpore ...	180	3	543	1	721	4	39	2	637	2	...	...	...	...
	18	Backergunge ...	230	1	480	13	748	14	126	4	546	2	...	...	...	...
	19	Mynensalgh ...	180	6	583	18	763	24	85	2	588	12	...	...	...	...
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	20	Chittagong ...	74	2	274	9	448	11	15	...	79	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Patna ...	116	10	474	29	590	39	140	9	231	10	...	...	...	...
	22	Rahababad ...	133	12	468	23	601	25	45	...	311	15	...	...	...	...
	23	Moulteppore ...	151	27	210	22	370	49	36	...	203	14	...	...	...	...
	24	Sarun ...	200	12	305	12	604	24	106	3	334	21	...	...	...	...
	25	Ohumparun ...	124	9	246	17	470	26	43	1	195	14	...	...	...	...
	26	Monghyr ...	195	13	616	16	821	31	139	1	625	15	...	...	...	...
	27	Cuttack ...	235	7	402	26	737	32	66	1	406	9	...	...	...	...
	28	Darjeeling ...	68	5	140	15	208	20	46	...	16	6	...	...	...	...
	29	Durbhunsa ...	125	11	183	15	320	26	56	...	226	7	...	...	...	...
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	30	Lohardugga ...	135	3	493	17	638	20	17	2	9	...	...	...	...	...
	Total for Central and District Jails ...		10,518	275	12,544	541	22,044	616	6,120	193	16,777	296	146	...	...	...
	31	Bankoora ...	39	3	126	2	175	5	21	1	26	2	...	...	...	...
	32	Beerbhoom ...	79	6	216	11	296	17	15	2	2	...	1	...	...	...
	33	Boera ...	30	5	196	19	225	24	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	34	Maldah ...	67	2	225	6	292	8	43	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	35	Pubna ...	59	4	228	4	291	8	44	2	4	...	...	...	...	...
	36	Julpigore ...	27	2	263	16	310	18	20	2	73	3	...	...	...	...
	37	Noakholly ...	71	...	296	7	366	7	29	1	44	...	...	...	...	...
	38	Tipperah ...	48	4	243	6	301	19	53	2	26	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	39	Purneah ...	78	3	220	6	226	9	26	2	6	...	...	...	...	...
	40	Poorce ...	33	3	226	12	271	16	46	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	41	Balesore ...	29	4	178	11	207	12	6	5	46	1	...	...	...	...
	42	Singbhoom ...	42	2	228	22	230	24	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	43	Manbhoom ...	47	4	510	19	557	23	27	4	16	...	...	...	...	...
	44	Khoolna ...	18	...	219	6	234	5	22	4	6	...	...	...	...	...
	Total for Intermediate Jails ...		650	46	2,577	141	4,227	183	406	29	267	6	1	...	...	...
	Total for all Jails ...		11,168	317	15,121	682	27,271	800	6,526	221	17,544	302	147	...	...	...
	Add for Subsidiary Jails... ..		428	16	12,524	296	14,008	246	222	7	46	...	...	...	...	...
	GRAND TOTAL ...		11,593	337	20,777	1,218	41,400	1,046	6,748	228	17,590	308	148	...	...	...

No I—(JUDICIAL)—(For convicts only).

Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

TRANSFER.				7			8				9				Serial number.	JAILS.
B.				GRAND TOTAL.			TRANSFERRED TO OTHER JAILS.				RELEASED DURING THE YEAR.					
IN TRANSIT FOR TRANSPORTATION OR TO OTHER JAILS							A.				B.					
From jails in the province.		From jails outside the province.					A.		B.		A.		B.			
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
100	5	1,708	36	5,053	218	5,271	377	18	1,086	...	98	...	1,475	128	1	Alipore—District and Central.
.....	3,072	58	3,130	376	50	8	...	35	...	1,304	1	} 2	Presidency { District and Central. Burrassan.
.....	340	12	352	.....	12	.....	...	8	...	212	...		
.....	1,525	45	1,573	155	2	.....	...	93	6	535	25	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
1	2,344	73	2,417	300	13	9	1	20	...	708	21	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
.....	2,082	...	2,082	374	...	4	...	10	...	615	...	5	Buxar—Central.
.....	1,658	85	1,743	295	4	10	1	30	...	440	17	6	Rajshahy—District and Central.
1	2,361	43	2,406	423	10	8	1	71	3	981	24	7	Dacca—District and Central.
51	2	.....	...	848	86	934	130	7	52	2	37	...	456	31	8	Hazaribagh.
.....	1,049	51	1,100	293	9	7	...	91	3	517	27	9	Burdwan.
.....	1,200	38	1,238	217	...	8	...	62	6	552	25	10	Hoochly.
.....	1,032	66	1,098	130	1	1	...	51	1	644	30	11	Moornhedabad.
.....	931	54	985	317	8	.....	...	60	2	339	21	12	Dinapore.
.....	1,493	66	1,559	189	13	.....	...	63	3	843	40	13	Gya.
.....	679	42	721	123	9	2	...	62	1	364	24	14	Nuddea.
.....	759	16	775	134	3	3	...	55	...	365	9	15	Jessore.
.....	995	25	1,020	132	4	...	...	71	...	404	23	16	Rungpore.
.....	1,314	8	1,322	200	2	5	...	90	...	745	4	17	Furruckpore.
.....	1,450	30	1,480	341	4	...	...	100	2	727	9	18	Backergunge.
3	1,409	38	1,447	289	3	2	...	53	3	730	20	19	Mymensingh.
.....	545	11	556	32	...	1	...	42	1	354	8	20	Chittagong.
.....	970	58	1,028	222	3	4	1	71	2	464	32	21	Patna.
.....	957	50	1,007	205	1	.....	...	45	2	308	25	22	Shahabad.
.....	703	63	766	78	2	3	...	20	1	406	37	23	Mosufferpore.
.....	1,445	68	1,513	229	9	.....	...	28	...	550	30	24	Karun.
.....	713	61	774	93	...	1	...	7	...	412	27	25	Chumbarin.
.....	1,545	67	1,612	293	1	.....	...	62	...	944	34	26	Monghyr.
11	1,304	43	1,346	142	...	11	...	23	...	603	35	27	Cuttack.
.....	273	26	299	30	2	.....	...	3	...	145	19	28	Darjeeling.
.....	662	31	696	77	3	...	...	20	1	383	23	29	Durbhanga.
3	695	22	717	67	2	4	...	41	...	425	17	30	Lohardugga.
100	7	1,708	36	41,506	1,417	42,923	6,320	100	1,191	6	1,511	35	14,305	908	Total for Central and District Jails.	
.....	291	8	299	61	3	.....	...	8	...	120	13	31	Bankura.
.....	513	20	533	65	5	.....	...	6	...	200	15	32	Boorbbroom.
.....	241	24	265	42	6	.....	...	8	...	150	17	33	Bogra.
.....	235	9	244	68	1	.....	...	12	...	174	4	34	Maldah.
.....	330	10	340	78	.....	...	...	23	...	160	8	35	Patna.
.....	413	17	430	111	.....	...	...	10	...	234	14	36	Jalpigore.
.....	480	8	488	81	3	.....	...	44	2	240	3	37	Naokholy.
.....	460	12	472	137	6	4	...	53	...	239	4	38	Tippurah.
.....	263	11	274	73	1	7	...	11	...	200	5	39	Purneah.
.....	317	15	332	24	1	.....	...	7	1	256	14	40	Poorce.
.....	254	21	275	54	4	.....	...	23	1	137	10	41	Halsora.
.....	263	24	287	40	3	.....	...	6	1	269	20	42	Synbhoom.
.....	600	27	627	100	4	.....	...	23	2	250	17	43	Mantbroom.
.....	202	9	211	61	1	.....	...	25	...	153	6	44	Khoolna.
11	4,945	218	5,163	1,006	26	11	...	273	7	2,271	135	Total for Intermediate Jails.	
100	7	1,708	36	46,445	1,635	48,080	7,326	237	1,202	6	1,785	42	21,266	940	Total for all Jails.	
67	14,404	553	14,957	2,796	342	67	...	130	3	4,940	197	Add for Subsidiary Jails.	
247	7	1,708	36	60,849	2,188	63,037	10,122	579	1,269	6	1,915	45	25,215	1,137	GRAND TOTAL.	

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Showing the Number and Disposal of the CONVICTS in the

Serial number.	JAILS.	9						10		11		
		RELEASED DURING THE YEAR.						Transported beyond seas.		Transferred to Lunatic Asylums.		
		C.		D.								
		Under remission rules.	BY ORDER OF GOVERNMENT.									
			a.		b.							
			On account of sickness.		On other grounds.							
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central	165	...	8	...	35	...	761	48	1	...
	2	Presidency— District and Central ... European ...	140	...	1	...	21	...	...	...	9	...
	3	Midnapore—District and Central	60	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
	4	Bhagalpore—District and Central	93	2	3	...	15	...	...	...	3	...
	5	Buxar—Central	100	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Rajshahye—District and Central	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	Dacca—District and Central	73	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	4	...
	8	Hazaribagh	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	9	Burdwan	11	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	10	Hooghly	18	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	11	Moorshedabad	18	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12	Dinapore	18	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
	13	Gya	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	14	Nuddea	24	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	15	Jessore	14	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
	16	Rungpore	23	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Furreedpore	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18	Backergunge	20	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...
	19	Mymensingh	27	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	20	Chittagong	8	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	21	Patna	18	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Muzhabad	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	23	Monuforpore	20	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	24	Sarun	34	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	25	Champaran	25	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	26	Monghyr	38	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Cuttack	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	28	Darjeeling	19	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	29	Durbhunga	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	30	Lohardugga	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for Central and District Jails		1,190	10	30	2	84	...	761	48	19	1	
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	31	Bankura	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	32	Bhoobhoom	13	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	33	Bogra	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	34	Maldah	11	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...
	35	Pubna	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	36	Julporee	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	37	Nonkholly	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	38	Tipperah	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	39	Purneah	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	40	Pooree	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	41	Binaore	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	42	Singbhoom	11	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	43	Manbhoom	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	44	Khoolna	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for Intermediate Jails		142	4	1	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	
Total for all Jails		1,332	14	31	2	88	...	761	48	20	1	
Add for Subsidiary Jails		6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL		1,338	14	31	2	88	...	761	48	20	1	

* Recaptured at the Presidency Jail and sentenced to transportation for life in a case of theft in
† Including one prisoner who was recaptured by the
Excluding 4 male convicts who escaped
Ditto 3 male
Ditto

No. I—JUDICIAL—(For convicts only)—concluded.

Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1898.

12		13		14		15		16			17	
Escaped.		Executed.		Died.		Remaining at the end of the present year.		Daily average number.			Serial number.	JAILS.
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.		
		1		54	1	1,637	28	1,647'47	30'94	1,578'31	1	Alipore—District and Central.
		1		38		1,153	1	1,165'37	0'31	1,165'06	2	Presidency—{ District and Central.
						29		29'07		29'07		European.
				30		642	11	654'54	8'59	673'13	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
		1		16	1	1,110	33	1,055'13	24'25	980'38	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
				9		1,065		1,044'30		994'30	5	Buxar—Central.
				97	6	749	27	732'04	23'18	754'22	6	Rajahmundry—District and Central.
		1		34		702	7	921'03	9'15	930'77	7	Dacca—District and Central.
				5		141	15	146'81	10'41	157'22	8	Hazaribagh.
				6		170	13	161'29	14'13	175'42	9	Hurdwan.
				5	1	245	7	306'64	7'01	313'65	10	Hooghly.
				5		163	7	157'61	10'10	167'77	11	Moorshedabad.
		1		12		162	5	161'50	0'53	162'03	12	Dinapore.
				39	1	306	9	323'86	14'79	344'65	13	Gya.
				1		112	5	104'10	7'58	111'68	14	Nuddea.
				4		182	4	133'44	4'17	137'61	15	Jessore.
		2		27	3	230	5	222'26	5'14	230'40	16	Rangpore.
				6		233	2	215'71	2'36	218'07	17	Furruckpore.
				11		224	5	246'04	4'36	250'40	18	Rackergunge.
				12	1	317	5	230'16	5'55	233'71	19	Mymensingh.
		1		3		102	2	90'32	2'74	93'06	20	Chittagong.
				7		154	19	129'38	8'40	137'78	21	Patna.
				3		126	12	127'31	10'72	138'03	22	Rajahmundry.
		1		10	3	163	19	148'39	18'05	167'07	23	Mosufferpore.
				6		191	8	170'73	10'05	180'78	24	Rarun.
				9		161	13	140'04	11'05	151'09	25	Chunapurun.
1		1		9		312	12	266'36	10'31	274'70	26	Monghyr.
				5		205	7	241'15	8'67	249'82	27	Cuttack.
				4		70	4	72'27	5'50	77'77	28	Darjeeling.
75		1		1		143	8	123'64	7'28	130'92	29	Durgha.
				25	1	91	2	132'48	3'37	135'85	30	Lohardugga.
				495	14	11,453	299	11,146'98	299'61	11,439'40		Total for Central and District Jails.
11		16		1		21	2	37'79	2'30	40'09	31	Hankowra.
		2		1		15	2	28'67	2'17	30'84	32	Beerbhoom.
				1	1	26		24'30	1'59	26'19	33	Borra.
				6	1	44	2	37'52	0'56	38'47	34	Maldah.
		1		4		52	2	41'36	2'46	44'40	35	Pubna.
				2		42	2	46'01	2'55	48'56	36	Jalpaiguri.
						60	1	55'55	0'44	56'10	37	Nonkhally.
		1				52	2	39'92	1'16	41'08	38	Tippurah.
		2				47	2	64'21	2'71	66'92	39	Purneah.
		1		8	2	33	2	33'63	2'07	35'09	40	Purora.
						36	6	31'73	2'06	34'71	41	Balasore.
				10		46		56'14	2'79	58'53	42	Singhbaria.
				2		101	3	82'96	3'07	86'03	43	Manbhum.
				1		19	2	17'19	2'08	19'27	44	Khoolna.
				35	4	297	30	579'54	22'01	611'56		Total for Intermediate Jails.
		7						11,729'28	221'55	12,051'05		Total for all Jails.
21		21		531	29	12,074	299	11,729'28	221'55	12,051'05		Add for Subsidiary Jails.
22				17	1	407	11	314'06	9'21	327'26		GRAND TOTAL.
14		21		548	30	12,481	310	12,047'34	230'76	12,278'10		

the act of which he was caught. The prisoner was transferred to the Midnapore Central Jail for trial in January 1899.
 Special authorities and detained in Nepal for trial there.
 was was imprisoned during the year 1898.
 date.

STATEMENT

Showing the Religion, Age, and previous occupation of the CONVICTS

		1	2	3									
		Serial Number.	JAILS.	RELIGION.									
				A.						B.		C.	
				CHRISTIANS.						Muhammedans.		Hindes and Sikhs.	
				a.		b.		c.					
				Europeans.		Russians.		Natives.					
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Allpore—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	319	6	540	21
	2	Presidency... { District and Central... European ...	...	...	...	...	...	11	3	624	20	678	23
	3	Midnapore—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	61	1	530	20
	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	103	5	230	9
	5	Buxar—Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	213	...
	6	Rajahmhye—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	206	9	89	3
	7	Dacca—District and Central	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	234	16	150	10
	8	Hazaribagh	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	44	3	284	24
	9	Burdwan	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	68	1	131	7
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	10	Hoochly	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	61	...	120	11
	11	Moorsheadabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	8	145	9
	12	Dinapore	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	246	10	145	3
	13	Gya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	10	508	27
	14	Nuddon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	4	63	3
	15	Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	119	2	76	6
	16	Rungpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	206	9	70	2
	17	Furzedpore	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	410	1	132	...
	18	Backergunge	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	263	7	134	6
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	19	Mymensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	449	17	119	...
	20	Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	234	4	70	3
	21	Patna	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	94	5	305	24
	22	Shahabad	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	15	2	452	21
	23	Mosufferpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84	2	185	20
	24	Saran	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	1	304	11
	25	Chumpanun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	4	275	15
	26	Monghyr	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	96	...	330	13
	27	Cuttack	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	45	...	441	25
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	28	Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	7	...	80	4
	29	Durbhunga	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	45	7	145	8
	30	Lohardugga	...	...	...	...	...	15	2	26	1	265	6
		Total for Central and District Jails	188	3	86	10	63	7	4,481	104	7,297	637	
	31	Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	132	2
	32	Beerbhoom	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	3	198	8
	33	Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	185	14	30	2
	34	Maldah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	1	127	5
	35	Pubna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	105	3	47	1
36	Jalpigore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	2	104	6	
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	37	Namkholy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	265	4	40	2
	38	Tipperah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	209	2	54	2
	39	Purneah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	2	143	4
	40	Porree	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	204	18
	41	Balasore	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	30	...	148	11
	42	Singhoom	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	2	167	11
	43	Manbhoom	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	...	470	19
	44	Kheolna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	117	6	101	1
		Total for Intermediate Jails	1	...	...	...	...	...	1,440	26	2,210	65	
	Total for all Jails	189	3	86	10	63	7	4,921	130	7,297	637		
	Add for Subsidiary Jails	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,777	135	6,275	273		
	GRAND TOTAL	189	3	86	10	73	9	10,000	265	17,270	630		

* Including N.B.—The following religions are included under the head of
Sectarian, Hindu, Mahomedan, Christian, Buddhist, Jain, Sikh, etc.

N. O. II—(JUDICIAL)—(For convicts only.)

admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

												Serial number.	JAILS.
AGE.													
D.		E.		A.		B.		C.		D.			
Under 16 years.		16 to 40 years.		40 to 60 years.		Above 60 years.							
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Alipore—District and Central.
2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Presidency { District and Central.
3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	European.
4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Midnapore—District and Central.
5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Buxar—Central.
7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Rajshahy—District and Central.
8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Dacca—District and Central.
9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Hasaribagh.
10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Burdwan.
11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Hooghly.
12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Moorshedabad.
13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Dinapore.
14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Gya.
15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Nuddea.
16	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Jessore.
17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Rangpore.
18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Furradpore.
19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Backergunge.
20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Wymensingh.
21	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Chittagong.
22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Patna.
23	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Shahabad.
24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Mosufferpore.
25	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Baran.
26	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Chumparn.
27	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Monghyr.
28	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Outack.
29	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Darjeeling.
30	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Durbhunga.
31	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Lahardugga.
32	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Total for Central and District Jails.
33	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Bankoora.
34	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Boorhoom.
35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Kagra.
36	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Maldah.
37	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Pubna.
38	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Jalpiagore.
39	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Naakholly.
40	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Tipperah.
41	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Purneah.
42	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Poona.
43	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Bahmore.
44	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Singbhoom.
45	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Maubhoom.
46	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Khocim.
47	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Total for Intermediate Jails.
48	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Total for all Jails.
49	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Add for Subsidiary Jails.
50	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	GRAND TOTAL.

STATEMENT

Showing the Religion, Age and previous occupation of the CONVICTS admitted into the

	Serial number.	JAILS.	PREVIOUS					
			MALES.					
			A.	B.	C.	D.	E.	F.
			Persons employed under Government or Municipal or other local authorities.	Professional persons.	Persons in service or performing personal offices.	Persons engaged in agriculture and with animals.	Persons engaged in commerce and trade.	Persons employed in industrial arts, handicrafts and engineering occupations, &c., &c.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore, District and Central...	95	2	144	181	64	30
	2	Presidency { District and Central	40	27	300	64	100	60
		European ...	31	10	27	15	12	12
	3	Midnapore, District and Central ...	18	26	20	207	10	4
	4	Khagulpore, District and Central ...	6	20	68	111	30	20
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	5	Buxar, Central ...	5	6	8	147	10	.....
	6	Rajshahy, District and Central ...	12	8	40	146	10	41
	7	Dacca, District and Central ...	12	8	27	202	20	20
	8	Meerutibagh ...	7	6	20	102	6	9
	9	Burdwan ...	18	6	24	112	6	.....
JAILS HOLDING OVER 200 PRISONERS.	10	Hooghly ...	10	.....	31	31	27	21
	11	Moorthadabad ...	15	17	28	75	10	9
	12	Dinapore ...	7	15	47	274	14	2
	13	Gya ...	20	6	26	200	21	20
	14	Nadua ...	8	20	22	20	.....	1
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 200 PRISONERS.	15	Junore ...	10	8	18	110	8	8
	16	Rangpore ...	12	.....	.....	200	8	.....
	17	Farrukpore ...	8	7	12	401	6	2
	18	Backergunge ...	8	6	27	200	22	4
	19	Mymensingh ...	12	7	24	201	10	74
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	20	Chittagong ...	16	14	10	210	21	22
	21	Patna ...	22	.....	42	100	20	12
	22	Shahabad ...	17	27	45	200	.....	.....
	23	Meerutpore ...	7	.....	25	164	.....	.....
	24	Saran ...	7	12	8	200	5	.....
	25	Champaran ...	6	9	8	204	15	.....
	26	Monghyr ...	6	.....	20	204	.....	.....
	27	Outback ...	25	8	27	100	20	1
	28	Darjeeling ...	10	.....	64	20	.....	.....
	29	Durbinpore ...	8	8	10	126	2	.....
	30	Lohardugga ...	10	.....	21	200	.....	.....
	Total for Central and District Jails...		400	200	1,200	2,200	200	400
	31	Raichura ...	9	8	.....	20	2	.....
	32	Roosthoom ...	10	7	9	120	2	.....
	33	Bogra ...	6	10	21	120	.....	.....
	34	Malda ...	15	20	20	144	20	8
	35	Patna ...	6	6	11	120	2	2
	36	Jalpaiguri ...	11	7	15	200	2	.....
	37	Naikholly ...	11	7	8	200	2	2
	38	Tipperah ...	2	.....	6	200	2	.....
	39	Farrukh ...	17	2	20	120	2	2
	40	Patna ...	20	8	20	20	27	2
	41	Bahara ...	6	20	20	20	22	.....
	42	Singhaura ...	17	.....	20	120	27	20
	43	Manikhetan ...	5	8	21	20	20	2
	44	Khoulia ...	10	8	21	120	2	1
	Total for Intermediate Jails		122	122	422	1,200	22	22
	Total for all Jails		522	322	1,622	3,400	222	422
	Add for Subsidiary Jails		204	200	200	2,200	200	200
	GRAND TOTAL		1,000	522	2,022	5,600	422	622

No. XL—(JUDICIAL)—(For convicts only)—continued.

Jails and Subordinate Jails of Bengal during the year 1883.

OCCUPATION.					Total.			Serial number.	JAILS.
A.	FEMALES.				Male.	Female.	Total.		
	M.	L.	J.	K.					
Misconductors persons not placed otherwise.	Married.	Unmarried.	Widows.	Prostitutes.					
203	0	1	13	0	800	20	817	1	Alipore—District and Central.
205	7	.....	10	20	1,334	64	1,398	2	Presidency— { District and Central. European.
112	.....	.....	0	3	313	10	323		
100	6	1	13	2	408	21	429	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
20	11	.....	3	1	340	13	353	4	Rhagulpore—District and Central.
27	.....	.....	.....	.....	323	.....	323	5	Bazar—Central.
26	2	.....	3	3	395	13	408	6	Rajahmundry—District and Central.
110	0	.....	0	0	480	24	504	7	Dacca—District and Central.
70	12	.....	14	.....	302	23	325	8	Kamrigh.
51	2	.....	0	.....	317	3	320	9	Burdwan.
1	2	.....	7	2	101	11	112	10	Hughly.
22	2	.....	0	0	335	14	349	11	Moorebabad.
40	0	.....	4	1	407	14	421	12	Dumagore.
203	21	.....	13	1	383	27	410	13	Gya.
6	1	.....	0	.....	140	7	147	14	Nudua.
25	1	.....	3	3	185	7	192	15	Jessore.
.....	0	.....	3	.....	375	11	386	16	Bungpore.
10	1	.....	.....	.....	543	1	544	17	Faridpore.
24	5	.....	0	0	400	13	413	18	Backergunge.
27	10	2	0	1	60	13	73	19	Mymensingh.
51	5	.....	3	1	374	0	374	20	Chittagong.
200	20	.....	7	.....	476	20	496	21	Patna.
21	7	.....	14	3	400	23	423	22	Shahabad.
20	14	.....	0	.....	319	20	339	23	Mosufferpore.
215	0	1	0	.....	305	13	318	24	Saran.
20	0	.....	0	.....	300	17	317	25	Chumbarun.
70	0	3	0	1	305	10	315	26	Monghyr.
203	0	3	14	3	400	20	420	27	Cuttack.
20	11	.....	3	1	140	15	155	28	Darjeeling.
20	0	.....	0	2	106	13	119	29	Durbhanga.
20	0	6	0	.....	403	17	420	30	Lohardugga.
2,204	227	14	222	79	12,446	541	12,987	Total for Central and District Jails.	
20	1	.....	1	.....	120	3	123	31	Bankura.
20	0	.....	0	.....	216	11	227	32	Beerbhoom.
20	13	.....	4	3	106	19	125	33	Bogra.
0	0	.....	1	.....	223	0	223	34	Maldah.
20	0	.....	1	.....	223	4	227	35	Pahna.
20	0	.....	3	.....	205	10	215	36	Jalpigore.
20	0	.....	1	.....	200	7	207	37	Nonkholy.
20	0	1	3	.....	340	0	340	38	Tipperah.
20	0	.....	0	.....	200	0	200	39	Purneah.
20	0	.....	0	.....	200	13	213	40	Porua.
20	0	.....	0	.....	170	11	181	41	Balsore.
20	0	1	13	3	300	20	320	42	Singbhoom.
20	0	1	0	1	310	19	329	43	Masbhoom.
20	0	.....	3	.....	215	0	215	44	Khoulm.
20	0	0	0	10	2,077	141	2,218	Total for Intermediate Jail	
20	10	10	277	00	14,138	000	14,338	Total for all Jails.	
20	0	10	200	71	12,004	000	12,104	Add for Subordinate Jails.	
20	0	0	200	207	20,777	1,313	22,090	GRAND TOTAL.	

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Showing the CONVICTS admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888

Serial number.	JAILS.	Nature of imprisonment of those admitted as explained at foot.	NUMBERS ACCORDING TO											
			A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.	
			Not exceeding one month.		Above one month and not exceeding three months.		Above three months and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two years and not exceeding five years.	
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	Alipore—District and Central	A	72	2	10	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
		B	300	9	165	10	90	2	83	2	26	1	20	1
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions		391	11	195	11	104	2	85	2	27	1	20	1
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.		18	...	67	3	102	4	124	6	272	4	204	7
	Presidency—District and Central	A	137	10	18	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
		B	299	12	327	13	207	3	115	3	37	1	47	1
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions		436	22	355	15	209	4	116	4	44	1	47	1
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.		14	...	86	1	121	...	123	...	229	...	207	...
2	Presidency—European	A	74	10	1	...	12	1	4	...	3	...	3	...
		B	80	1	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions		154	11	26	...	12	1	4	...	3	...	3	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.		8	...	3	...	2	...	4	...	6	...	4	...
3	Midnapore—District and Central	A	32	2	1	...	47	1	40	3	25	1	22	...
		B	119	10	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions		151	12	100	...	47	1	41	3	26	1	22	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.		1	...	10	3	24	3	72	3	120	...	120	3
4	Bhagulpore—District and Central	A	13	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...
		B	144	1	55	1	24	3	24	4	11	...	14	...
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions		157	3	56	1	24	3	25	4	12	...	14	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.		45	1	24	...	20	3	225	9	225	12	122	3
5	Duxar—Central	A	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		B	60	...	51	...	64	...	25	...	10	...	...	...
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions		62	...	51	...	64	...	25	...	12	...	...	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.		6	...	8	...	102	...	222	...	222	...	222	...
6	Rajshahye—District and Central	A	11	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
		B	20	2	52	...	44	...	24	1	20	...	20	...
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions		107	3	53	...	45	...	25	1	20	...	20	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.		6	...	15	3	24	3	112	3	227	3	227	3
7	Dacca—District and Central	A	13	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		B	126	7	100	...	94	...	20	...	...	...	...	...
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions		139	8	111	...	96	...	20	...	...	...	...	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.		6	...	21	1	22	...	122	...	217	...	217	...
8	Hemribagh	A	4	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		B	20	...	77	...	24	...	20	...	20	...	20	...
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions		24	...	78	...	25	...	20	...	20	...	20	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.		21	...	14	...	20	...	20	...	22	...	20	...

No. III.—JUDICIAL—(for convicts only).

and those remaining on the 31st December of that year, according to the nature and length of sentences.

LENGTH OF SENTENCE.												5		6		7	
G.		H.		I.				J.		TOTAL.		* Nature of imprisonment of those admitted as explained at foot.		Serial number.	JAILA.		
Above five years and not exceeding ten years.		Exceeding ten years.		Sentenced to transportation beyond seas.				Sentenced to death.									
				A.		B.											
				For life.		For a term.											
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.					
17				7	1	1		1		88	3	91	A	1			
										797	28	825	B				
													C				
										4		4	D				
17				7	1	1		1		880	28	917		2			
228		68	1	66	3	36				1,637	28	1,665					
14				8		6		2		154	17	171	A	3			
										1,179	37	1,216	B				
													C				
										1		1	D				
16				8		6		2		1,334	84	1,388		4			
187		11		68		48				1,182	1	1,183					
				1						78	10	88	A	5			
										134	3	140	B				
													C				
													D				
				1						218	12	230		6			
1				1						20		20					
10						1				35	2	37	A	7			
										340	19	345	B				
										9		9	C				
										1		1	D				
10						1				402	37	439		8			
119		1		25		19				642	11	653					
6		1		2		5		1		18	2	20	A	9			
										331	13	344	B				
										1		1	C				
										3		3	D				
6		1		2		5		1		340	18	358		10			
120	1	16		40		18				1,110	35	1,145					
										2		2	A	11			
										219		219	B				
										2		2	C				
													D				
120				27		24				223		223		12			
										1,058		1,058					
8	1			4	1	1				14	1	15	A	13			
										202	11	213	B				
													C				
													D				
2	1			4	1	1				224	12	236		14			
7	8	11		36	3	9	2			740	27	776					
1				1	2	2		1		12	1	13	A	15			
										420	25	425	B				
										2		2	C				
										2		2	D				
1				1	2	2		1		420	25	425		16			
25	1	2		26	2	18				702	7	709					
20	1									2	4	6	A	17			
										202	26	204	B				
													C				
													D				
20	1									202	26	204		18			
15		1		1						161	15	176					

simple imprisonment.
 rigorous imprisonment.
 rigorous imprisonment with solitary confinement.
 rigorous imprisonment with whipping.

STATEMENT

Showing the CONVICTS admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1893

Serial number.	JAILS.	Nature of imprisonment of those admitted as explained at foot.	NUMBERS ACCORDING TO											
			A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.	
			Not exceeding one month.		Above one month and not exceeding three months.		Above three months and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two years and not exceeding five years.	
			M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.
9	Burdwan	A	83	1	5									
		B	70	2	41	2	23	1	20	1	7	1	7	
		C												
		D												
	Total of admissions		102	3	46	2	23	1	20	1	7	1	7	
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1893.		13		23	1	20	3	31	2	30	2	15	3
10	Hooghly	A	20		2		1							
		B	43	8	48		17	2	23	1	16		4	
		C												
		D												
	Total of admissions		72	8	50		18	2	23	1	16		4	
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1893.		8	2	41		86	2	111	2	66	1	20	
11	Moorshedabad	A	6											
		B	116	8	60	2	27	1	12	2	8	1	3	
		C												
		D												
	Total of admissions		116	8	60	2	27	1	12	2	8	1	3	
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1893.		13		32	3	43	2	37	1	19		23	1
12	Dinapore	A	13		4			1					1	
		B	78	4	82	2	67	4	68	3	51		41	
		C												
		D					1						1	
	Total of admissions		91	4	86	2	68	5	68	3	52		43	
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1893.		2	1	23		25	2	58	2	26		20	
13	Oya	A	37	2	6	4	2							
		B	180	11	90	2	96	6	78	6	40	2	34	2
		C												
		D	1								3		1	
	Total of admissions		218	13	96	6	98	6	78	6	43	2	35	2
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1893.		8		24	2	77	2	94	2	54		32	1
14	Nuddea	A	7		2	1								
		B	40	2	38	1	17	1	10		12	2	18	
		C												
		D												
	Total of admissions		47	2	40	2	17	1	10		12	2	18	
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1893.		16		18	2	20	1	16	2	17	2	12	
15	Jessore	A	13	2	6	1								
		B	41	3	40	1	24		20		9		12	1
		C												
		D												
	Total of admissions		54	5	46	2	24		20		11		12	1
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1893.		11		26		45	1	45		15		19	
16	Rangpore	A	6	2										
		B	80	4	74	2	63	1	10	1	11		10	
		C												
		D												
	Total of admissions		86	7	74	2	63	1	10	1	11		10	
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1893.		2		24	1	45		26		26	1	26	1
17	Furzedpore	A	24	1	2		7		26					
		B	81		100		78		66		27		67	
		C												
		D												
	Total of admissions		105	1	102		85		92		27		67	
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1893.		21		20		43		66		23	1	23	1

A - Prisoners sentenced to
B - " " " " " "
C - " " " " " "
D - " " " " " "

No. III—JUDICIAL—(For convicts only).—continued.

and those remaining on the 31st December of that year, according to the nature and length of sentences.

LENGTH OF SENTENCE.													5		6		7	
G.		H.		L.				J.		TOTAL.				* Nature of imprisonment of those admitted as explained at foot.		Serial number.	JAILS.	
Above five years and not exceeding ten years.		Exceeding ten years.		Sentenced to transportation beyond seas.				Sentenced to death.										
				For life.		For a term.												
A.		B.																
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.						
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	A	1	9	Burdwan.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	B	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	C	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	D	1	10	Hoochly.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	A	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	B	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	C	1	11	Moorshedabad.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	D	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	A	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	B	1	12	Dinapore.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	C	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	D	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	A	1	13	Gya.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	B	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	C	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	D	1	14	Nuddea.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	A	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	B	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	C	1	15	Jessore.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	D	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	A	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	B	1	16	Rungpore.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	C	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	D	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	A	1	17	Farrarpore.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	B	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	C	1				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	D	1				

single imprisonment.
 separate imprisonment.
 separate imprisonment with solitary confinement.
 separate imprisonment with whipping.

STATEMENT

Showing the CONVICTS admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888,

Serial number.	JAILS.	* Nature of imprisonment of those admitted as explained at foot.	NUMBERS ACCORDING TO											
			A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.	
			Not exceeding one month.		Above one month and not exceeding three months.		Above three months and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two years and not exceeding five years.	
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
18	Backergunge	A	16	...	7	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		B	98	3	117	8	37	...	84	8	23	...	30	1
		C ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
		D ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions ...	...	109	3	124	8	100	...	84	8	23	...	31	1
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.	...	14	...	31	1	41	1	68	1	41	1	31	1
19	Mymensingh	A	8	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		B	175	13	118	3	101	1	74	1	37	...	45	1
		C ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
		D ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions ...	...	181	13	119	3	102	1	74	1	38	...	46	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.	...	23	2	35	...	71	...	80	2	41	1	41	...
20	Chittagong	A	14	2	3	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
		B	154	4	96	8	44	...	19	1	11	...	23	...
		C ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	Total of admissions ...	...	168	6	99	2	46	...	20	1	12	...	22	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.	...	4	...	23	...	19	...	18	1	13	...	16	...
21	Patna	A	42	1	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		B	128	13	88	6	74	3	68	5	30	...	25	3
		C ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions ...	...	169	14	91	6	83	3	64	5	40	...	27	3
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.	...	10	1	23	3	36	5	31	6	14	2	21	8
22	Shahabad	A	15	2	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
		B	136	4	126	8	54	5	57	2	26	...	28	1
		C ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
		D ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions ...	...	161	6	127	8	59	5	60	2	29	...	28	1
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.	...	6	...	50	3	34	2	13	3	13	2	11	1
23	Moulterpore	A	15	2	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
		B	78	4	43	6	24	1	30	1	13	4	18	3
		C ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions ...	...	93	6	46	6	24	3	30	1	13	4	13	3
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.	...	8	1	25	3	30	1	32	4	35	5	14	5
24	Barun	A	15	1	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
		B	85	...	106	3	66	1	27	5	44	1	10	...
		C ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
		D ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions ...	...	96	1	108	3	69	1	30	5	51	1	23	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.	...	11	2	47	...	41	1	18	3	40	2	20	...
25	Chumpan	A	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		B	115	3	51	1	46	2	34	...	18	4	12	3
		C ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	16	1	...	...
		D ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions ...	...	121	3	51	1	50	2	40	...	33	4	18	3
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.	...	3	...	37	1	43	1	24	1	30	5	25	3
26	Monghyr	A	24	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		B	208	10	33	2	106	3	66	1	44	1	20	...
		C ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		D ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total of admissions ...	...	237	10	35	2	108	3	68	1	44	1	20	...
	Total remaining on the 31st December 1888.	...	27	...	28	4	64	...	36	2	44	4	20	1

A.—Prisoners sentenced to
B.—Life term
C.—Five years
D.—Ten years

No. III—JUDICIAL—(For convicts only)—continued.

and those remaining on the 31st December of that year, according to the nature and length of sentences.

										5		6		7		
LENGTH OF SENTENCE.										TOTAL.			* Nature of imprisonment of those admitted as explained at foot.		Serial number.	JAILS.
G.		H.		I.				J.								
Above five years and not exceeding ten years.		Exceeding ten years.		Sentenced to transportation beyond seas.				Sentenced to death.								
				For life.		For a term.										
A.		B.														
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.				
...	A	...	...
11	4	1	2	...	1	...	20	...	20	H	...	...
...	461	13	474	O	...	...
...	1	...	1	D	...	...
...	1	...	1		...	...
11	4	1	2	...	1	...	489	13	502	} 18 Backergunge. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1903.			
11	...	1	...	1	...	6	...	...	...	225	5	230			
...				
...				
12	3	...	9	...	...	...	10	...	10	A	...	...
...	571	18	589	H	...	...
...	1	...	1	C	...	...
...	1	...	1	D	...	...
12	3	...	9	...	...	...	583	18	601	} 19 Mymensingh. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1903.			
8	...	2	...	1	...	7	...	...	...	317	5	322			
...				
...				
3	1	...	2	...	1	...	20	2	22	A	...	...
...	1	...	2	...	1	...	383	7	390	H	...	...
...	1	...	1	C	...	...
3	1	...	2	...	1	...	374	9	383	D	...	...
6	2	1	...	...	103	2	105	} 20 Chittagong. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1903.			
...				
...				
...				
5	1	5	...	1	...	48	1	49	A	...	...
...	420	29	449	H	...	...
...	6	...	6	C	...	...
5	1	5	...	1	...	474	21	495	D	...	...
11	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	154	19	173	} 21 Patna. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1903.		
...				
...				
...				
1	1	1	2	...	...	...	10	2	21	A	...	...
...	445	21	466	H	...	...
...	4	...	4	C	...	...
1	1	1	2	...	...	...	458	23	481	D	...	...
8	2	1	6	...	...	...	126	12	138	} 22 Shahabad. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1903.			
...				
...				
...				
2	3	...	...	...	...	...	16	4	20	A	...	...
...	263	14	277	H	...	...
...	C	...	...
2	3	...	...	...	...	...	210	22	232	D	...	...
6	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	163	19	182	} 23 Muzafferpore. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1903.		
...				
...				
...				
6	3	1	6	...	1	...	18	1	19	A	...	...
...	360	11	371	H	...	...
...	5	...	5	C	...	...
6	3	1	6	...	1	...	368	12	380	D	...	...
10	1	...	...	...	...	...	191	6	197	} 24 Baran. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1903.			
...				
...				
...				
6	1	1	...	...	1	1	6	...	6	A	...	...
...	316	17	333	H	...	...
...	25	...	25	C	...	...
...	2	...	2	D	...	...
8	1	1	...	...	1	1	249	17	266	} 25 Champaran. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1903.			
9	2	1	1	...	...	...	161	12	173				
...				
...				
4	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	2	1	36	...	36	A	...	...
...	599	18	617	H	...	...
...	1	...	1	C	...	...
4	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	2	1	625	14	639	D	...	...
14	4	2	1	512	12	524	} 26 Moughyr. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1903.			
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simple imprisonment.
 rigorous imprisonment.
 rigorous imprisonment with solitary confinement.
 rigorous imprisonment with whipping.

STATEMENT

Showing the **CONVIQTS** admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888,

Serial number.	1	2	3	NUMBERS ACCORDING TO											
				A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.	
				Not exceed- ing one month.		Above one month and not exceed- ing three months.		Above three months and not exceed- ing six months.		Above six months and not exceed- ing one year.		Above one year and not exceed- ing two years.		Above two years and not exceed- ing five years.	
				M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.
27	Cuttack	A B C D	...	23	1	...	...	8	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
				175	16	109	2	88	4	42	2	26	1	81	...
			
			
	Total of admissions	...	...	208	16	109	2	81	4	45	2	29	1	81	...
	Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.	...	...	13	1	33	...	81	2	40	...	26	4	19	...
28	Darjeeling	A B C D	...	6	5	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				61	2	26	2	13	...	10	...	5	1	9	2
			
			
	Total of admissions	...	...	67	7	26	5	13	...	10	...	6	1	9	2
	Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.	...	...	1	1	4	...	8	...	11	...	11	1	18	2
29	Durbhunga	A B C D	...	7	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				63	7	43	1	37	1	16	2	19	2	14	1
			
			
	Total of admissions	...	...	60	7	43	1	39	1	16	2	19	2	15	1
	Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.	...	...	8	1	15	...	42	3	23	3	11	1	20	...
30	Lohardugga	A B C D	...	18	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				135	8	103	3	63	...	38	...	20	...	21	1
			
			
	Total of admissions	...	...	153	12	104	4	67	...	39	...	21	...	21	1
	Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.	...	...	2	1	14	...	30	...	16	...	11	...	6	1
31	Bankoora Intermediate	A B C D	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				74	3	14	...	12	...	21	...	6	...	1	...
			
			
	Total of admissions	...	...	76	3	14	...	12	...	21	...	6	...	1	...
	Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.	...	...	...	...	6	...	2	...	6	...	3	1	...	1
32	Heerbhoom	A B C D	...	9	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				175	4	27	4	16	...	12	...	8	...	11	1
			
			
	Total of admissions	...	...	184	6	29	4	16	...	12	...	8	...	11	1
	Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.	...	...	8	...	3	1	1	...	1	...	5	...	1	1
33	Bogra	A B C D	...	10	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				191	8	18	...	17	4	16	...	19	1	12	1
			
			
	Total of admissions	...	...	111	12	20	1	17	4	14	...	20	1	12	1
	Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.	...	...	6	...	2	...	6	...	5	...	2	...	5	...
34	Maldah	A B C D	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				96	2	30	4	45	...	15	...	15	...	8	...
			
			
	Total of admissions	...	...	99	2	30	4	46	...	15	...	15	...	8	...
	Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.	...	...	5	...	8	1	24	...	6	...	7	1	1	...

No. III—JUDICIAL—(For convicts only)—continued.

and those remaining on the 31st December of that year, according to the nature and length of sentences.

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simple imprisonment.
 severe imprisonment.
 severe imprisonment with solitary confinement.
 severe imprisonment with whipping.

STATEMENT

Showing the **CONVICTS** admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888,

Serial number.	1	2	3	NUMBERS ACCORDING TO											
				A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.	
				Not exceed- ing one month.		Above one month and not exceeding three months.		Above three months and not exceed- ing six months.		Above six months and not exceed- ing one year.		Above one year and not exceed- ing two years.		Above two years and not exceed- ing five years.	
				M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.
35	Pubna	A H C D	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				65	3	68	1	23	1	20	...	19	...	31	...
			
			
36	Julpigoree	A H C D	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				89	7	63	1	29	...	35	...	17	1	27	...
			
			
37	Noakholly	A H C D	...	5	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
				73	1	69	3	46	1	48	...	29	...	8	...
			
			
38	Tipperrah	A H C D	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				89	2	101	2	43	...	37	...	26	...	33	...
			
			
39	Purneah	A H C D	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				44	1	55	3	26	...	27	...	28	...	13	1
			
			
40	Pooree	A H C D	...	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				100	5	64	2	25	...	9	...	6	1	1	...
			
			
41	Balaore	A H C D	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				60	...	33	3	17	...	15	...	10	...	16	2
			
			
42	Singbhoon	A H C D	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				89	...	94	7	43	1	21	1	9	...	...	...
			
			
43	Manbhoom	A H C D	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				134	10	108	6	115	2	67	...	13	...	33	...
			
			
	Total of admissions			176	20	148	6	116	2	86	2	13	...	15	...
			
			
			
	Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.			11	1	20	...	37	...	25	...	6	1	1	1
			
			
			

A. - Prisoners sentenced to
B. - ...
C. - ...
D. - ...
E. - ...
F. - ...

No. III—JUDICIAL—(For convicts only)—continued.

and those remaining on the 31st December of that year, according to the nature and length of sentences.

LEAVE OF SENTENCE.												5		6		7	
G.		H.		I.				J.		TOTAL.				* Nature of imprisonment of those admitted as explained at foot.		Serial number.	JAILS.
Above five years and not exceeding ten years.		Exceeding ten years.		Sentenced to transportation beyond sea.				Sentenced to death.									
				For life.		For a term.											
				A.		B.											
M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	Total.					
1				1						11		11	A	35	Pudna.		
										231	4	235	B				
													C				
													D				
1				1						233	4	237		36	Jalpigoree.		
1										51	2	53					
																37	Nonkholly.
1				1		2				31	1	32	A	38	Tippurah.		
										203	9	212	B				
													C				
													D				
1				1		2				283	10	293		39	Purneah.		
1										43	2	45					
				3	1	1		1		8	1	10	A			40	Poonah.
										283	6	289	B				
										3		3	C				
													D				
3				3	1	1		1		295	7	302		41	Balmora.		
1										60	1	61					
				2	1			1		4	3	7	A			42	Singhboon.
										333	5	338	B				
										4		4	C				
													D				
1				2	1			1		343	6	349		43	Manbhoom 1898.		
2	1									52	2	54					
				3				2		8	2	10	A			44	Manbhoom 1900.
										212	4	216	B				
													C				
													D				
7				3				2		230	6	236		45	Manbhoom 1900.		
7		1								47	3	50					
										46	2	48	A			46	Manbhoom 1900.
										103	11	114	B				
													C				
													D				
										239	13	252		47	Manbhoom 1900.		
										28	2	30					
										9	1	10	A			48	Manbhoom 1900.
										169	10	179	B				
													C				
													D				
12				6						174	11	185		49	Manbhoom 1900.		
1										38	6	44					
										12	5	17	A			50	Manbhoom 1900.
										276	17	293	B				
													C				
													D				
										298	32	330		51	Manbhoom 1900.		
										46		46					
										42	19	61	A			52	Manbhoom 1900.
										408	...	...	B		
													C				
													D				
6								1		516	19	535		53	Manbhoom 1900.		
1										101	3	104					
																54	Manbhoom 1900.

simple imprisonment.
 rigorous imprisonment.
 rigorous imprisonment with military confinement.
 rigorous imprisonment with whipping.

STATEMENT

Showing the **CONVICTS** admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888,

1		2		3		NUMBERS ACCORDING TO																
		JAILS.		* Nature of imprisonment of those admitted as explained at foot.		A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.						
						Not exceed- ing one month.		Above one month and not exceeding three months.		Above three months and not exceed- ing six months.		Above six months and not exceed- ing one year.		Above one year and not exceed- ing two years.		Above two years and not exceed- ing five years.						
						M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.					
Serial number.	44	Khowla	{	A B C D	...	15	1	4	1	1					
						59	...	55	...	25	1	22	1	16	...	14	...					
										
										
						Total of admissions				74	1	59	1	25	1	22	1	16	...	17	...	
						Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.				2	...	11	...	1	3	1	
						Total for Central and District Jails	{	A B C D	...	742	54	80	12	57	4	40	3	...
										3,718	185	2,929	100	1,978	66	1,261	55	761	33	607	17	
										
										
						Total of admissions				4,443	240	2,916	112	2,028	60	1,312	55	8	32	690	17	
						Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.				335	15	554	60	1,521	44	2,160	70	2,434	69	2,353	46	
						Total for Intermediate Jails	{	A B C D	...	155	21	33	5	8	1	10
										1,227	54	754	35	496	10	364	4	219	3	192	5	
										
...							
Total of admissions				1,382	75	817	40	504	11	373	4	221	3	202	5							
Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.				75	1	137	5	144	3	196	2	65	7	37	9							
Total for all Jails	{	A B C D	...	897	85	119	17	45	5	50	2	...						
				4,945	239	3,612	135	2,474	66	1,625	59	1,006	35	849	22							
										
										
Total of admissions				5,844	324	3,731	152	2,530	71	1,693	59	1,045	35	992	22							
Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.				410	16	961	65	1,665	47	2,356	72	2,501	66	2,370	54							
Add for Subsidiary Jails	{	A B C D	...	637	78	82	16	34	4	77	...	1	...	1	...							
				6,067	233	2,061	116	2,105	57	1,615	17	817	15	185	7							
										
										
Total of admissions				3,715	305	3,063	130	2,140	61	1,703	17	836	15	197	7							
Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.				142	6	86	5	85	1	46	...	35	1	18	...							
GRAND TOTAL	{	A B C D	...	1,524	157	291	33	79	9	148	...	1	...	3	...							
				10,032	472	6,598	249	4,579	123	3,340	76	1,817	50	1,044	29							
										
										
Total of admissions				11,559	629	6,799	282	4,670	132	3,396	76	1,951	50	1,079	29							
Total remaining on the 31st Decem- ber 1888.				532	22	1,077	50	1,750	48	2,312	71	2,536	67	2,388	54							

* A. - Prisoners sentenced to
B. - Ditto ditto to
C. - Ditto ditto to
D. - Ditto ditto to

No. 111—JAIL—(For convicts only)—continued.

and those remaining on the 31st December of that year, according to the nature and length of sentences.

REPORT OF PRISONS.												5		6		7	
G.		H.		I.				J.		TOTAL.				* Nature of imprisonment of those admitted as explained at foot.		Serial number.	JAILS.
Above 100 years and not exceeding 100 years.		Exceeding 100 years.		Sentenced to transportation beyond seas.				Sentenced to death.									
				A.		B.											
				For life.		For a term.											
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.					
...	A	44	Khoocha.	
...	B ...	...		
...	C ...	...		
...	D ...	...		
...	A	Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1906.	
...	B ...	...		
...	C ...	...		
...	D ...	...		
...	A	Total for Central and District Jails. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1906.	
...	B ...	...		
...	C ...	...		
...	D ...	...		
...	A	Total for Intermediate Jails. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1906.	
...	B ...	...		
...	C ...	...		
...	D ...	...		
...	A	Total for all Jails. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1906.	
...	B ...	...		
...	C ...	...		
...	D ...	...		
...	A	Add for Subaltern Jails. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1906.	
...	B ...	...		
...	C ...	...		
...	D ...	...		
...	A	GRAND TOTAL. Total of admissions. Total remaining on the 31st December 1906.	
...	B ...	...		
...	C ...	...		
...	D ...	...		

simple imprisonment.
 rigorous imprisonment.
 rigorous imprisonment with solitary confinement.
 rigorous imprisonment with whipping.

STATEMENT

Showing the CONVICTS admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails

	Serial number.	JAILS.	Number admitted during the year.			NUMBER FIRST COURT					
						A.		B.		C.	
						Once.		Twice.		More than twice.	
						M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central ...	880	28	917	74	.....	31	.....	10	.. ..
	2	Presidency { District and Central European ...	1,234	54	1,288	242	17	22	.....	27	.....
	3	Midnapore—District and Central	312	12	324	26	4	7	2	2	2
	4	Bhagnipore—District and Central	402	21	423	21	.....	8	.....	1	.. ..
	5	Buxar—Central	240	15	255	20	1	4	.....	2	.....
	6	Bahahye—District and Central	222	.....	222	11	.....	2	.....	1	.....
	7	Dacca—District and Central ...	206	12	218	42	2	16	.....	1	.....
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	8	Dacca—District and Central ...	480	24	504	27	.....	11	.....	9	.....
	9	Hasaribagh	208	22	230	44	1	12	.....	5	.. ..
	10	Bardwan	217	2	219	7	.. ..	2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
	11	Hoochly	101	11	112	10	.. ..	5	.. ..	4	.....
	12	Mooreabad	222	14	236	10	.. ..	7	1	1	.....
	13	Dinapore	407	14	421	4	1	16	.. ..	2	.....
	14	Gya	562	27	589	21	1	21	.....	11	.. ..
JAILS HOLDING OVER 200 PRISONERS.	15	Mudden	140	7	147	9	.. ..	2	.. ..	2	.. ..
	16	Jessore	125	7	132	6	.. ..	4	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
	17	Bungpore	270	11	281	9	.. ..	5	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
	18	Farrukpore	242	1	243	2	.. ..	6	.. ..	2	.....
	19	Backergunge	420	12	432	22	.....	6	.. ..	2	.....
	20	Mymensingh	222	12	234	21	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
	21	Chittagong	274	9	283	22	.. ..	12	.. ..	6	.....
	22	Patna	474	20	494	25	2	17	.. ..	21	1
	23	Shahabad	422	22	444	26	1	7	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
	24	Monufierpore	212	22	234	20	2	6	.....	2	.. ..
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 200 PRISONERS.	25	Saran	222	12	234	20	1	16	.....	12	.....
	26	Chumparan	242	17	259	20	2	10	2	.....	.....
	27	Monghyr	422	12	434	22	1	10	1	2	.....
	28	Cuttack	422	22	444	20	2	16	1	20	.....
	29	Darjeeling	140	12	152	2	.. ..	2	.....	.....	.....
	30	Durbhanga	122	12	134	6	2	12	.....	2	.....
	31	Lohardugga	422	17	439	20	1	6	.....	2	.....
Total for Central and District Jails			12,246	541	12,787	1,022	42	222	7	222	.. ..
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	32	Bankura	122	2	124	12	.....	7	.....	2	.....
	33	Barraboom	212	11	223	12	1	2	1	1	.....
	34	Bogra	122	12	134	17	2	2	1	2	.....
	35	Maldah	222	6	228	12	.....	7	.....	1	.....
	36	Patna	222	6	228	12	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
	37	Jalpaiguri	222	10	232	12	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
	38	Naokholi	222	7	229	9	.....	2	.....	2	.....
	39	Tipurah	222	6	228	12	.....	2	.....	2	.....
	40	Poorbe	222	12	234	9	.....	7	.....	2	.....
	41	Balaram	122	11	133	12	.....	10	.....	2	.....
	42	Shingboom	222	22	244	22	.....	2	1	2	.....
	43	Manikboom	222	12	234	12	.....	2	.....	1	.....
	44	Khoolna	222	2	224	12	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Total for Intermediate Jails			2,277	141	2,418	222	2	22	2	22	.....
Total for all Jails			14,523	682	15,205	1,244	44	244	9	244	.....
Add for Subsidiary Jails			12,246	541	12,787	1,022	42	222	7	222	.....
GRAND TOTAL			26,769	1,223	27,992	2,266	86	466	16	466	.....

No. IV—JUDICIAL—(For convicts only.)

of Bengal during the year 1888 who had been previously convicted.

			5			6			7			Serial number.	JAILS.	
CONVICTED.			Ratio per cent. of column 4D to column 3.			JUVENILE PRISONERS UNDER 16 YEARS OF AGE (SECTION 309 OF THE CRIMINAL PROCEDURE CODE).								
D.						A.			B.					
Total.						Number admitted during the year.			Number previously convicted.					
M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.			
124	.....	124	13 94	.....	13 52	14	1	15	2	.....	2	1	Alipore—District and Central.
301	17	308	28 34	31 48	26 47	31	...	31	4	...	4	}	Presidency { District and Central. European.	
48	9	57	23 55	75 00	25 33		3	Midnapore—District and Central.
27	27	6 71	6 58		4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
37	1	38	10 00	0 66	10 43	4	...	4	..	...	...	5	Buxar—Central.
14	.....	14	6 37	.....	6 37	...	...	..	...	...	...	6	Rajshahy—District and Central.
58	2	60	19 39	16 66	19 48	2	...	2	..	...	...	7	Dacca—District and Central.
47	.....	47	9 79	.....	9 32	5	...	5	..	...	...	8	Hasaribagh.
63	1	64	20 43	3 12	18 33	4	...	4	..	...	...	9	Burdwan.
9	.....	9	4 14	.....	4 00	1	...	1	..	...	...	10	Hoochly.
19	.....	19	9 04	.....	9 40	1	...	1	..	...	...	11	Moorshedabad.
26	1	27	11 40	7 14	11 18	1	1	2	..	...	...	12	Dumagore.
21	1	22	6 15	7 14	5 22	2	...	2	..	...	...	13	Gya.
113	1	114	20 10	2 76	19 03	6	...	6	..	...	...	14	Nuddea.
19	.....	19	12 75	.....	12 17	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	Jessore.
12	.....	12	6 18	.....	5 04	..	...	..	...	...	...	16	Rungpore.
14	.....	14	5 97	.....	4 87	2	...	2	...	...	...	17	Purroedpore.
16	.....	16	2 04	...	2 04	6	...	6	...	...	...	18	Backergunze.
42	.....	42	8 58	.....	6 56	...	2	2	...	...	...	19	Mymensingh.
52	.....	52	8 91	.....	8 65	3	...	3	..	...	...	20	Chittagong.
61	.....	61	10 06	.....	10 70	5	1	6	...	...	...	21	Patna.
63	3	66	13 29	1 34	13 12	6	1	7	1	...	1	22	Shahabad.	
46	1	46	9 61	4 34	9 36	5	..	5	..	...	...	23	Muzafferpore.
69	7	66	26 94	31 61	27 54	6	...	6	...	...	...	24	Saran.
57	1	58	14 43	8 33	14 25	7	..	7	1	...	1	25	Chumbarun.	
39	4	43	11 27	23 52	11 64	3	...	3	..	...	...	26	Monghyt.
51	2	53	12 03	11 11	12 54	...	2	2	..	...	...	27	Cuttack.
64	3	67	13 00	12 00	12 06	23	1	24	...	...	...	28	Darjeeling.
5	.....	5	3 57	...	3 22	10	...	10	1	...	1	29	Durbhanga.
21	2	23	10 76	13 33	10 96	...	1	1	...	...	...	30	Lohardugga.
20	1	20	6 09	5 04	6 00	2	2	4	...	...	...	Total for Central and District Jails.	
1,646	57	1,703	18 11	10 83	18 01	142	12	161	9	...	9	31	Bankura.	
23	.....	23	16 91	.....	16 06	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	Beerbhoom.
21	2	23	9 73	19 18	10 13	1	...	1	...	...	...	33	Born.
21	3	24	10 76	13 74	11 21	1	...	1	..	...	...	34	Maldah.
28	.....	28	10 23	.....	9 05	4	...	4	..	...	...	35	Palna.
14	.....	14	6 03	.....	5 23	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	Jalpigree.
15	.....	15	5 30	.....	5 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	Noakhully.
14	.....	14	4 74	.....	4 63	7	...	7	...	...	...	38	Tippurah.
21	.....	21	6 12	.....	6 01	2	...	2	..	...	...	39	Purneah.
22	.....	22	10 00	...	9 73	...	1	1	...	...	...	40	Poorce.
20	.....	20	6 40	...	7 06	4	...	4	..	...	...	41	Baharo.
20	.....	20	16 39	.....	15 34	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	Singbhoom.
33	1	34	11 45	4 54	10 56	2	...	2	1	...	1	43	Manbhoom.	
22	.....	22	4 31	.....	4 13	4	1	5	...	...	...	44	Khoolna.
14	.....	14	6 42	.....	6 27	...	1	1	...	...	...	Total for Intermediate Jails.	
203	6	209	8 16	4 38	8 01	25	3	28	1	...	1	Total for all Jails.		
1,928	63	2,001	18 43	9 28	11 30	174	15	190	10	..	10	Add for Subaltern Jails.		
1,609	42	1,671	11 49	7 13	11 26	102	10	117	3	...	3	GRAND TOTAL.		
2,507	105	2,612	11 77	8 02	11 05	276	20	306	13	..	13			

STATEMENT

Showing the Escapes and Recaptures of CONVICTS in the

	1	2	3	4			5		
				ESCAPED DURING THE YEAR.			RECAPTURED DURING THE YEAR.		
				A.	B.	C.	A.	B.	C.
				From inside the jail.	From outside the jail.	Total.	Of those who escaped in previous years.	Of those who escaped during the year.	Total.
	Serial number.	JAILS.	Remainder unrecaptured on the 31st December 1897 of those who escaped during the previous ten years.						
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central ...	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	2	Presidency { District and Central European ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	3	Midnapore—District and Central	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	1
	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
	5	Buxar—Central ...	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	6	Rajshahye—District and Central	6	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
	7	Dacca—District and Central ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	8	Hazaribagh ...	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	9	Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	10	Hooghly ...	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	11	Moorshedabad ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	12	Dinapore ...	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	13	Gya ...	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	14	Nuddea ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	15	Jessore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	16	Rungpore ...	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	17	Furzedpore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	18	Backergunge ...	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	19	Mymensingh ...	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	20	Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	21	Patna ...	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	22	Shahabad ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	23	Moulteppore ...	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	24	Barin ...	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	25	Chumpran ...	4	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....
	26	Monghyr ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	27	Cuttack ...	1	2	.....	2	.....	1	1
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	28	Darjeeling ...	3	8	1	9	.....	2	2
	29	Durbhunga ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	30	Lohardugga ...	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Total for Central and District Jails		50	11	3	14	1	3	4
	31	Bankoora ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	32	Beerbhoom ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	33	Bogra ...	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	34	Maldah ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	35	Pubna ...	6	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
	36	Julpigore ...	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	37	Naokholly ...	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	38	Tippurah ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	39	Furneah ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	40	Poorce ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	41	Balasore ...	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	42	Starbhoon ...	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	43	Manbhoon ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	44	Khoolna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Total for Intermediate Jails		13	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
	Total for all Jails		76	11	4	15	1	4	5
	Add for Subsidiary Jails		21	3	1	4	3	3	6
	GRAND TOTAL		97	14	5	19	4	7	11

N o. V—(JUDICIAL)—(For convicts only).

Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

6			7				8	
REMAINED UNCAPTURED.			UNEXPIRED PORTION OF SENTENCE OF THOSE WHO ESCAPED DURING THE YEAR.				Serial number.	JAILS.
A.	B.	C.	A.	B.	C.	D.		
Of previous years.	Of the year.	Total.	Under one year.	Above one year and under seven years.	Above seven years.	Remaining portion of life.		
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	Alipore—District and Central.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	Presidency { District and Central, European.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	3	Midnapore— District and Central.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	5	Buzar—Central.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	6	Rajshahye—District and Central.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	7	Dacca— District and Central.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	8	Hazaribagh.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	9	Burdwan.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	10	Hooghly.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	11	Mooraheladad.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	12	Dinapore.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	13	Gya.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	14	Nuddon.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	15	Jessore.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	16	Rungpore.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	17	Furzedpore.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	18	Backergunge.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	19	Mymensingh.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	20	Chittagong.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	21	Patna.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	22	Shahabad.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	23	Mozuffarpore.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	24	Saran.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	25	Chumparan.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	26	Monghyr
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	27	Cuttack.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	28	Darjeeling.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	29	Durbhanga.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	30	Lohardugga.
55	9	64	2	11		1		Total for Central and District Jails
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	31	Bankura.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	32	Beerbhoom.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	33	Bogra.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	34	Maldah.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	35	Pubna.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	36	Julpigore.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	37	Noakholly.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	38	Tipperah.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	39	Purneah.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	40	Pooree.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	41	Balasore.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	42	Singbhoom.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	43	Manbhoom.
1	1	2	1	1	1	1	44	Khoolna.
15	1	16	1	1	1	1		Total for Intermediate Jails.
72	9	81	3	11		1		Total for all Jails.
12	3	15	6					Add for Subsidiary Jails.
84	12	96	9	11		1		GRAND TOTAL.

STATEMENT

Showing the Offences committed by the CONVICTS, and the Punishments inflicted

1	2	3	4	5											
				BRANCHES OF JAIL RULES.											
				Average number of convicts.	Criminal offences.	Smoking or having possession of forbidden articles.	Offences relating to work.	Other offences against prison discipline.	Total offences.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Serial number.	JAILS.														
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central ...	1,547'57	30'94	...	...	270	...	7,477	177	1,304	5	9,051	182	9,233
	2	Presidency—{ District and Central ...	1165'37	0'31	...	...	492	...	2,039	...	2,332	...	4,893	...	4,893
		European ...	30'07	...	...	...	18	...	28	...	35	...	81	...	81
	3	Midnapore—District and Central ...	964'54	8'59	3	...	93	...	635	12	420	...	1,150	12	1,162
	4	Bhawalpore—District and Central ...	905'15	24'35	...	...	194	...	719	...	873	31	1,776	31	1,807
	5	Buxar—Central ...	904'31	...	2	...	110	...	780	...	245	...	1,197	...	1,197
	6	Rajshahy—District and Central ...	732'04	22'18	1	...	90	...	204	3	284	3	583	6	589
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	7	Dacca—District and Central ...	921'62	9'15	...	...	174	3	1,250	21	1,330	18	2,764	42	2,796
	8	Hasaribagh ...	146'81	10'41	...	...	24	...	159	4	1'3	5	316	9	325
	9	Burdwan ...	161'29	14'13	...	...	53	4	38	...	55	19	148	23	171
	10	Hooghly ...	305'48	7'01	...	...	27	...	498	10	254	...	759	10	769
	11	Moorsheadabad ...	157'61	10'16	...	...	14	1	68	2	102	10	162	13	196
	12	Dinapore ...	191'50	6'52	...	...	29	...	60	...	107	...	280	...	280
	13	Gya ...	333'96	14'79	...	...	25	...	38	6	109	5	171	11	182
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	14	Nudda ...	101'10	7'28	...	...	10	...	16	2	145	12	171	14	185
	15	Jessore ...	135'44	4'17	...	...	57	3	181	...	156	7	304	10	404
	16	Rungpore ...	225'26	8'14	...	...	42	2	107	...	107	3	236	5	241
	17	Farrukpore ...	215'71	2'06	...	...	50	3	63	...	184	8	297	11	306
	18	Backergunge ...	296'04	4'05	3	...	79	...	70	...	240	7	400	7	407
	19	Mymensingh ...	250'16	5'55	...	...	57	...	198	8	278	4	513	12	525
	20	Chittagong ...	96'32	2'74	...	...	23	3	102	2	32	7	157	12	169
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	21	Patna ...	129'38	8'40	...	...	10	...	29	1	75	...	120	1	121
	22	Shahabad ...	127'51	10'78	5	...	10	...	53	1	106	15	182	16	198
	23	Mosuffepore ...	148'59	18'08	...	...	21	4	47	20	40	30	114	51	165
	24	Barun ...	170'72	10'05	1	...	9	...	21	1	48	6	79	7	86
	25	Chumpran ...	140'04	11'05	1	...	52	2	202	4	153	13	410	18	428
	26	Monghyr ...	205'36	10'35	1	...	25	...	40	...	80	...	135	...	135
	27	Cuttack ...	241'15	8'67	2	...	53	1	44	...	135	4	264	5	269
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	28	Darjeeling ...	72'27	5'50	10	...	23	...	15	2	49	3	97	4	101
	29	Durbhanga ...	125'54	7'28	...	...	19	...	140	...	204	4	372	4	376
	30	Lohardugga ...	132'40	3'47	...	...	25	...	50	...	44	5	119	5	124
		Total for Central and District Jails ...	11,149'80	289'51	27	...	2,178	20	15,347	275	9,778	222	27,227	683	27,910
	31	Bankura ...	57'79	2'30	...	...	5	...	7	1	14	1	26	2	28
	32	Beerbhoom ...	28'07	3'17	...	...	4	...	8	...	16	2	25	3	27
	33	Bogra ...	26'30	1'50	...	...	4	...	19	4	8	...	31	4	35
	34	Maldah ...	57'52	0'05	1	...	23	...	48	1	46	...	117	1	118
	35	Patna ...	41'06	2'45	1	...	9	...	79	...	89	3	178	3	180
	36	Jalpigore ...	46'01	2'55	...	...	11	...	11	...	38	...	60	...	60
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	37	Noakholly ...	55'06	0'44	...	...	7	...	14	...	42	...	63	...	63
	38	Tippurah ...	59'08	1'16	...	...	13	2	25	...	41	...	51	2	53
	39	Purneah ...	64'21	2'71	...	...	2	...	13	...	45	5	60	5	65
	40	Porree ...	33'68	2'47	...	...	10	...	39	4	12	1	60	5	65
	41	Naizore ...	31'75	2'04	...	...	12	...	33	24	35	3	129	27	156
	42	Singbhoom ...	56'14	2'79	...	...	9	...	20	...	17	...	46	...	46
	43	Manbhoom ...	62'93	3'07	...	...	14	3	48	...	38	14	98	17	115
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	44	Khoolna ...	17'19	2'08	...	...	21	1	8	...	24	4	51	5	56
		Total for Intermediate Jails ...	579'84	32'01	3	...	148	6	410	34	465	22	1,025	73	1,097
		Total for all Jails ...	11,729'63	321'52	29	...	2,326	26	15,757	309	10,243	244	28,252	756	29,007
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.		Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	318'95	9'31	10	...	6	...	26	2	12	...	114	3	117
		GRAND TOTAL ...	12,047'58	330'83	39	...	2,332	32	15,843	312	10,255	254	28,366	759	29,124

* Including convicts put to

NOTE.—The discrepancy of 11 convicts in jails and one in Out of 18 convicts who escaped from the jails during the year 1885, 6 were recaptured, but 4 punished judicially during the year, and the cases of submitted an unnatural offence is pending before the court. One convict who escaped from jail in previous year was recaptured and punished Out of six convicts who escaped from the subsidiary jails during the year 1885, 3 were recaptured and punished judicially during the year. Four

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on them, in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

6										7	8	9	10		
PUNISHMENTS INFLICTED.										Ratio of column 6 to column 3.	Ratio of column 6 to the total number of other jail punishments inflicted on male prisoners.	Serial number.	JAILS.		
A.	B.								C.						
	By Jail officers.														
	a.		b.		c.		d.							e.	
	Solitary confinement.		Reduced diet.*		Solitary confinement with reduced diet.		Corporal punishment.				Other punishments.				
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Corporal punishment.	M.	F.	Total punishments.				
...	...	166	2	...	...	60	...	60	5,705	140	9,283	584.91	0.70	1	Alipore—District and Central.
...	...	63	...	...	...	132	...	47	4,091	...	4,803	420.79	0.97	2	Presidency— { District and Central.
...	...	0	...	...	...	8	...	...	07	...	81	278.65	...	...	...
1	...	65	...	52	...	19	...	17	907	12	1,101	172.47	1.50	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
1	...	124	14	5	...	9	...	14	1,630	17	1,804	182.71	0.79	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
2	...	20	...	12	...	21	...	20	1,020	...	1,107	111.33	2.40	5	Huxar—Central.
1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	7	574	5	588	77.95	1.21	6	Rajshahy—District and Central.
...	...	84	10	3	...	...	...	24	2,630	32	2,790	300.30	0.87	7	Dacca—District and Central.
...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	1	304	0	325	206.71	0.31	8	Hazaribagh.
...	...	7	5	...	...	...	...	...	141	18	171	97.48	...	9	Burdwan.
...	...	109	...	...	...	...	...	5	610	10	700	243.74	0.66	10	Hooghly.
...	...	22	...	19	9	45	...	2	94	4	105	116.23	1.11	11	Moorshedabad.
...	...	11	...	3	...	...	...	...	272	...	280	152.11	...	12	Dinapore.
...	...	80	...	...	...	...	...	1	81	11	182	53.20	0.28	13	Gya.
...	...	1	...	66	6	...	...	...	104	8	140	165.03	...	14	Nulda.
...	...	30	...	156	4	...	...	1	204	0	404	293.58	0.25	15	Jessore.
...	...	3	5	...	...	...	...	1	256	5	261	113.28	...	16	Bangalore.
1	...	62	...	2	...	...	...	6	324	7	406	130.26	1.53	17	Farrukpore.
...	...	84	...	6	1	...	...	...	625	11	635	222.73	...	18	Buckurunge.
...	...	7	6	19	...	...	...	4	127	8	179	170.00	2.61	19	Mymensingh.
...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	116	1	121	87.82	0.84	20	Chittagong.
6	...	14	1	1	1	...	...	...	161	14	198	143.44	...	21	Patna.
...	...	14	1	...	...	...	...	6	94	53	104	160.55	5.55	22	Bahabad.
1	25	...	...	...	85	7	86	45.92	...	23	Mouafferpore.
...	...	51	...	37	...	4	...	3	334	18	427	271.74	0.73	24	Karun.
1	...	8	...	2	...	4	...	1	139	...	150	56.22	0.05	25	Chumparun.
...	...	26	...	24	...	12	...	1	201	4	205	107.27	0.34	26	Monghyr.
2	...	4	2	...	...	...	...	1	82	2	93	110.54	1.16	27	Cuttack.
...	...	124	1	4	1	...	...	1	243	2	370	247.41	0.24	28	Darjeeling.
...	...	2	...	5	...	...	...	1	111	5	124	91.29	0.44	29	Durbhanga.
16	...	1,143	45	415	23	344	...	240	25,114	455	27,639	243.26	0.88	30	Lohardugga.
...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	2	28	60.54	...	...	Total for Central and District Jails.
...	...	8	...	1	1	2	...	...	25	2	27	67.54	...	31	Bankura.
1	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	8	35	124.15	...	32	Beerbhoom.
1	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	108	1	119	206.73	...	33	Hogra.
...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	172	2	197	606.40	...	34	Maldah.
...	51	...	60	123.56	...	35	Patna.
...	1	62	...	63	112.29	1.61	36	Jalpaiguri.
...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	78	2	83	202.04	1.26	37	Namkholy.
...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	59	8	65	97.13	...	38	Tipperah.
...	8	...	...	...	1	51	5	63	190.10	1.09	39	Furnah.
...	15	11	...	...	1	110	16	126	440.43	0.74	40	Poor.
...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	42	...	46	78.05	...	41	Balaore.
...	...	16	7	...	...	...	...	1	51	10	116	160.11	1.08	42	Singhbhum.
...	51	8	56	296.60	...	43	Manbhoom.
2	...	80	7	31	12	4	...	5	924	35	1,097	179.25	0.40	44	Khoolna.
18	...	1,248	28	446	25	205	...	245	26,084	608	26,935	244.11	0.87	...	Total for Intermediate Jails.
11	...	1	...	41	2	...	...	...	82	...	114	20.04	...	...	Total for all Jails.
20	...	1,248	28	446	25	205	...	245	26,100	608	26,944	244.71	0.88	...	Add for Subsidiary Jails.
															GRAND TOTAL.

penal diet.

subsidiary jails between columns 6 and 6A is explained as follows—
 two convicts are pending. One convict was judicially punished for having possession of forbidden articles. The case of a convict-warder for having com-
 during the year, and one life-convict who escaped from the Calcutta jail was punished departmentally.
 convicts who escaped from the subsidiary jails in previous years (including one escaped in 1876) were recaptured and punished during the year.

STATEMENT

Showing the state of Education of the CONVICTS imprisoned in, and

	1	2	3		4						5	
	Serial number.	JAILS.	Number imprisoned during the year.		OF THOSE IN COLUMN 3 THERE WERE—						Daily average number of convicts.	
					Unable to read and write.		Able to read and write a little.		Able to read and write well.			
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore, District and Central ...	889	25	823	28	46	...	18	...	1,547'37	30'34
	2	Presidency, District and Central ...	1,334	54	963	54	301	...	40	...	1,183'37	0'31
		Ditto, European ...	213	12	23	8	138	9	42	...	20'07	.....
	3	Midnapore, District and Central ...	402	21	351	21	44	...	7	...	661'34	6'59
	4	Bhagulpore, District and Central ...	349	15	325	15	17	...	7	...	965'15	24'28
	5	Buxar, Central ...	223	.....	194	.....	25	...	4	...	804'30	.....
	6	Rajahmhye, District and Central ...	293	12	270	12	21	...	5	...	732'04	22'18
	7	Dacca, District and Central ...	480	24	420	24	59	...	1	...	921'02	9'15
	8	Hazaribagh ...	308	33	282	32	22	...	4	...	146'31	10'41
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	9	Burdwan ...	217	8	155	8	36	...	26	...	161'29	14'13
	10	Hooghly ...	191	11	148	11	33	...	10	...	308'48	7'01
	11	Moorsheadabad ...	228	14	199	14	23	...	6	...	187'61	10'16
	12	Dinapore ...	407	11	340	13	40	1	9	...	181'50	6'52
	13	Gya ...	502	37	517	37	44	...	1	...	333'98	14'79
	14	Nudda ...	140	7	134	7	6	...	9	...	104'10	7'58
	15	Jessore ...	106	7	120	7	37	...	39	...	133'44	4'17
	16	Rungpore ...	270	11	230	11	14	...	5	...	223'26	6'14
	17	Furroadpore ...	543	1	509	1	15	...	20	...	315'71	2'06
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	18	Backergunge ...	480	13	413	13	49	...	18	...	280'04	4'56
	19	Mymensingh ...	583	18	517	15	42	...	24	...	230'16	5'55
	20	Chittagong ...	374	0	252	0	87	...	35	...	96'32	2'74
	21	Patna ...	474	20	440	20	19	...	15	...	122'38	8'40
	22	Shahabad ...	404	23	435	23	20	...	13	...	127'31	10'73
	23	Monufferpore ...	219	23	200	22	7	...	6	...	148'39	18'08
	24	Saran ...	303	12	301	12	23	...	11	...	170'73	10'08
	25	Chumparun ...	340	17	323	17	14	...	4	...	146'03	11'08
	26	Monghyr ...	621	18	580	18	36	...	10	...	265'33	10'23
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	27	Cuttack ...	403	25	444	25	44	...	4	...	241'15	5'07
	28	Darjeeling ...	140	13	120	13	20	...	.....	...	72'27	8'20
	29	Durbhunga ...	103	15	161	15	15	...	12	...	123'24	7'26
	30	Lohardurga ...	453	17	439	17	35	...	10	...	132'46	3'37
	Total for Central and District Jails		12,546	541	10,792	531	1,342	10	412	...	11,140'50	28'51
	31	Bankura ...	136	2	114	2	23	...	.....	...	57'79	2'30
	32	Meerbhoom ...	216	11	189	11	26	...	1	...	28'07	2'17
	33	Borra ...	168	19	157	19	27	...	11	...	26'36	1'09
	34	Maldah ...	213	6	208	6	9	...	8	...	27'33	0'06
35	Pubna ...	232	4	210	4	13	...	9	...	41'96	2'45	
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	36	Julpigore ...	223	10	270	10	16	...	3	...	46'01	2'55
	37	Noakbolly ...	296	7	253	7	32	...	8	...	55'00	0'04
	38	Tipperah ...	343	6	235	6	105	...	3	...	30'02	1'18
	39	Purneah ...	220	6	186	6	9	...	23	...	64'21	2'71
	40	Poores ...	220	13	223	13	13	...	3	...	22'62	2'07
	41	Balasore ...	178	11	141	11	31	...	6	...	21'75	2'06
	42	Singbhoom ...	285	22	270	22	12	...	6	...	68'14	2'79
	43	Nanbhoom ...	219	19	400	19	15	...	3	...	63'33	5'07
	44	Khoshna ...	212	5	182	5	27	...	9	...	27'19	2'08
	Total for Intermediate Jails		2,577	141	2,123	141	350	...	96	...	570'64	20'51
	Total for all Jails ...		15,123	682	12,964	672	1,892	10	507	...	11,739'25	59'52
Add for Subsidiary Jails ...		12,664	530	11,725	534	1,490	2	490	...	21,675	0'31	
GRAND TOTAL		27,787	1,212	20,689	1,206	3,382	12	997	...	33,414'56	29'83	

No. VII—JUDICIAL—(For convicts only).

released from, the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal for the year 1888.

6		7		8						9						10	
Daily average number under instruction.		Number released during the year who had been under instruction in Jail.		OF THOSE IN COLUMN 7, THERE WERE WHEN THEY ENTERED JAIL—						OF THOSE IN COLUMN 7, THERE WERE WHEN THEY LEFT JAIL—						Serial number.	JAILS.
				Unable to read and write.		Able to read and write a little.		Able to read and write well.		Unable to read and write.		Able to read and write a little.		Able to read and write well.			
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
000100	111200	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	1	Alipore—District and Central.
000100	111200	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	2	Presidency.. { District and Central. European.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	5	Buxar—Central.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	6	Rajahmyn—District and Central.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	7	Dacca—District and Central.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	8	Hazaribagh.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	9	Burdwan.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	10	Hoochly.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	11	Mooreheadabad.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	12	Dinapore.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	13	Gya.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	14	Nuddea.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	15	Jessore.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	16	Bungpore.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	17	Farrukpore.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	18	Rackergunge.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	19	Mymensingh.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	20	Chittagong.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	21	Patna.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	22	Shahabad.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	23	Mozafferpore.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	24	Narun.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	25	Chumparun.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	26	Monghyr.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	27	Cuttack.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	28	Darjeeling.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	29	Durbhanga.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	30	Lohardugga.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	Total for Central and District Jails	
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	31	Bankura.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	32	Beerbhoom.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	33	Bogra.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	34	Malda.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	35	Pubna.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	36	Sulpietore.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	37	Nonkholly.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	38	Tipperah.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	39	Purneah.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	40	Poore.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	41	Balasora.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	42	Singbhoon.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	43	Manbhoon.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	44	Khoosna.
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	Total for Intermediate Jails.	
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	Total for all Jails.	
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	Add for Subsidiary Jails	
000100	000100	000100	000100	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	GRAND TOTAL.	

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Showing the employment of CONVICTS as Prison Officers in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

	1	2	3		4		5		6		7		
	Serial number.	JAILS.	Average number of convicts.		Average number employed as prison officers.		Ratio per cent. of column 4 to column 3.		Total number employed as prison officers.		Number of reductions or other punishments.		Serial number.
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central ...	1,647.57	30.94	107.46	.....	6.94	.....	202	.....	64	...	1
	2	Providence { District and Central European ...	1,185.57	0.31	61.08	.....	5.31	.....	123	.....	276	...	2
	3	Midnapore—District and Central ...	601.54	8.59	41.45	.....	6.23	.....	83	...	94	...	3
	4	Bhawalpore—District and Central ...	903.15	24.35	66.30	.....	5.63	.....	180	.....	143	...	4
	5	Buxar—Central ...	904.30	.....	80.74	.....	5.10	.....	134	.....	62	...	5
	6	Rajshahye—District and Central ...	732.04	22.18	44.71	0.59	6.16	2.01	84	2	67	1	6
	7	Dacca—District and Central ...	921.63	9.15	63.35	.....	7.09	.....	163	.....	179	...	7
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	8	Hazaribagh ...	146.81	10.41	6.53	.....	4.46	.....	16	.....	6	...	8
	9	Burdwan ...	161.39	14.13	10.96	.....	6.79	.....	35	.....	24	...	9
	10	Hoochly ...	208.45	7.01	13.53	.....	4.05	.....	33	.....	44	...	10
	11	Moorshedabad ...	157.61	10.16	10.14	.....	6.43	.....	22	.....	17	...	11
	12	Dinapore ...	181.50	6.83	13.37	.....	7.36	.....	29	.....	23	...	12
	13	Gya ...	333.86	14.79	10.50	.....	3.14	.....	31	.....	8	...	13
	14	Nuddea ...	104.10	7.58	7.60	.....	7.36	.....	17	.....	12	...	14
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	15	Jessore ...	183.44	4.17	10.80	.....	8.09	.....	24	.....	44	...	15
	16	Ranapore ...	222.26	8.14	14.88	.....	6.63	.....	36	.....	17	...	16
	17	Furzedpore ...	315.71	2.96	13.46	.....	7.18	.....	38	.....	29	...	17
	18	Hackerpunge ...	286.04	4.86	20.09	.....	7.02	.....	47	.....	57	...	18
	19	Mymensingh ...	230.16	5.53	18.73	0.11	6.83	1.96	36	1	61	1	19
	20	Chittagong ...	96.33	2.74	7.00	.....	7.26	.....	15	.....	3	...	20
	21	Patna ...	129.36	8.40	7.88	.....	6.09	.....	13	.....	23	...	21
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	22	Shahabad ...	127.51	10.73	7.52	.....	5.90	.....	25	.....	41	...	22
	23	Muzafferpore ...	148.39	18.68	16.43	.....	7.04	.....	22	.....	9	...	23
	24	Sarun ...	176.73	10.93	8.10	0.46	4.80	4.20	17	1	8	1	24
	25	Chumpanun ...	146.08	11.06	8.20	0.77	5.65	0.96	23	1	21	...	25
	26	Monghyr ...	265.35	10.36	10.19	.....	3.84	.....	27	...	6	...	26
	27	Cuttack ...	241.18	8.67	14.64	.....	6.19	.....	28	.....	27	...	27
	28	Darjeeling ...	72.27	5.50	7.18	0.49	9.93	5.90	18	1	8	...	28
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	29	Durbhunga ...	123.54	7.23	11.69	0.16	8.97	2.06	21	1	22	...	29
	30	Lohardugga ...	132.46	5.37	9.15	.....	6.96	.....	17	.....	5	...	30
		Total for Central and District Jails	11,149.99	229.61	679.35	2.36	6.09	0.93	1,576	7	1,412	2	
	31	Bankoora ...	37.79	2.30	1.48	.....	3.91	.....	6	.....	4	...	31
	32	Borbhoom ...	24.67	2.17	0.78	.....	16.96	.....	7	.....	11	...	32
	33	Bogra ...	26.30	1.89	1.14	.....	4.36	.....	4	.....	3	...	33
	34	Maldah ...	57.52	0.95	1.95	.....	2.79	.....	3	.....	...	...	34
35	Pubna ...	41.95	2.46	4.03	.....	6.60	.....	9	.....	20	...	35	
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	36	Julpigore ...	46.01	2.45	3.79	.....	6.96	.....	4	.....	4	...	36
	37	Noakholly ...	53.06	0.44	2.83	.....	4.24	.....	7	.....	7	...	37
	38	Tippurah ...	39.91	1.16	1.41	.....	3.53	.....	9	.....	6	...	38
	39	Furneah ...	64.11	2.71	7.90	.....	12.30	.....	8	.....	4	...	39
	40	Poorce ...	23.62	2.47	1.29	.....	3.85	.....	4	.....	...	...	40
	41	Baharee ...	31.73	2.26	1.67	.....	3.26	.....	2	.....	...	...	41
	42	Singbhoom ...	56.14	2.79	0.96	.....	0.96	.....	1	.....	...	...	42
	43	Nanbhoom ...	63.26	5.97	1.91	.....	3.35	.....	3	.....	4	...	43
	44	Khoolna ...	17.19	2.08	1.74	.....	10.12	.....	5	.....	3	...	44
		Total for Intermediate Jails	579.64	31.01	24.26	.....	3.90	.....	73	.....	73	...	
		Total for all Jails	11,729.63	260.62	703.61	2.36	6.06	0.93	1,649	7	1,485	2	
		Add for Subsidiary Jails	315.05	0.21	1.24	.....	0.44	.....	7	.....	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	12,044.68	260.83	704.85	2.36	5.95	0.93	1,656	7	1,485	2	

Warders	200	200	200	100	200	200	200
Overseers	200	200	200	100	200	200	200

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IX.

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STATEMENT

Showing the Scales of Diet in force in the Jails

1	2	3																
FOR NATIVES.	LABOURING PRISONERS.									NON-LABOURING PRISONERS.								
	Rice.	Atta.*	Dal.	Vegetables.	Oil.	Salt.	Tamarind.	Condiments from the jail garden.	Firewood.	Rice.	Atta.†	Dal.	Vegetables.	Oil.	Salt.	Condiments from the jail garden.	Firewood.	
	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Sr.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Sr.	
DIET SCALE No. I.																		
For Bengalis and Ooryas ... Every day‡ ...	11	...	3	3	½	½	½	½	½	9	...	3	3	½	½	½	½	
DIET SCALE No. II.																		
Natives of Behar, the North-Western Provinces, and Punjab ... Every day§ ...	6	5	3	3	½	½	½	½	½	6	4	3	3	½	½	½	½	

* Wheat 5 chittacks, maize or millet 6 chittacks, whichever is cheapest.

† Ditto 4 ditto, ditto 5 ditto ditto.

‡ Whenever it may be considered necessary, 2 chittacks of meat or fish or dahi may be given instead of 2 chittacks of grain on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays to labouring convicts only.

§ Atta to be given in the morning and rice in the evening meal. Of the other items, half the quantity to be given at each meal. If considered necessary, 2 chittacks of meat or fish or dahi may be given instead of 2 chittacks of grain on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays to labouring convicts only.

NOTE.—In addition to the above, an early morning meal, consisting of ½ chittacks of grain or 2 chittacks of rice, and ½ chittack of molasses, and ½ chittack of salt, was issued.

FOR EUROPEANS.			LABOURING PRISONERS.										NON-LABOURING PRISONERS.											
			Gruel, including 2 chittacks of sugar.										Gruel 6 chittacks to include 1 chittack of sugar.											
			Bread.	Butter.	Meat.	Soup made of 6 chittacks meat for each prisoner.	Ghee or fat.	Vegetables.	Salt.	Condiments.	Sugar.	Potherbs.	Bread.	Butter.	Meat.	Soup.	Ghee or fat.	Vegetables.	Salt.	Condiments.	Sugar.	Potherbs. &		
Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.		
DIET SCALE FOR EUROPEAN PRISONERS.																								
MALES	{	Sundays and Wednesdays ...	16	10	4	½	...	½	8	...	...	...	...	16	8	...	8	...	...	...	...	...
			Mondays and Fridays	16	10	...	½	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	16	8	...	8	...	...	...	...	...
			Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays ...	16	10	...	3	8	...	8	...	½	½	½	16	8	...	8	...	...	...	...	...
FEMALES	{	Sundays and Wednesdays ...	16	6	½	½	...	½	8	...	...	...	8	6	...	4	...	...	...	...	...
			Mondays and Fridays	16	6	...	½	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	8	6	...	4	...	...	...	...	...
			Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays ...	16	6	½	12	4	...	4	...	½	½	...	8	6	...	4	...	...	...	...	...

* Uncooked with bone.

† Cooked without bone.

‡ Pepper.

FOR SUBSIDIARY JAILS.							
Rice.	DAL.	Vegetables.	Oil.	Salt.	Condiments.	Firewood.	
Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Ch.	Br.	
For all classes of prisoners ... Every day ...	2	2	2	½	½	½	½

No. IX—(JUDICIAL).

and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

PUNISHMENT DIET SCALE.	NOTE OF ANY CHANGES EFFECTED IN THE DIET SCALES DURING THE YEAR 1888.
<p>PENAL DIET.</p> <p>For Europeans, Eurasians, Natives of the Upper Provinces and the Punjab, Chinamen, Malays, and Burmese:—</p> <p>One pound of wheaten flour daily boiled as a porridge and seasoned with salt to be given in two meals.</p> <p>For Bengalis, Assamese, Ooryas, and other rice-eating people:—</p> <p>A pound of rice flour, with salt, boiled up as a porridge.</p> <p>Reduced or Half Diet.</p> <p>Is the same as the non-labouring scales, except that only half the quantity of rice and atta are given.</p> <p>This punishment diet scale has been abolished.</p>	<p>The following minor changes were made temporarily for the reasons stated—</p> <p>Alipore, District and Central. From 1st January to 31st March fish (for Hindus) and beef (for Mahomedans) were given once a week to all prisoners in lieu of an equivalent quantity of dal; the weekly prisoners, however, received fish three times a week under orders of the medical officer. From 31st March to 30th June, potatoes in lieu of fish and beef were issued three a week; and from 1st July to the end of the year fish and beef were again continued. The allowance of vegetables was increased from 3 to 4 chittacks per head up to the end of the year. The allowance of mustard oil was also increased to 1 chittack per head from 9th September to the end of the year.</p> <p>Presidency, District and Central. From the 1st March to 30th April, <i>dahi</i> was substituted in lieu of 1 chittack of dal for all the labouring prisoners every alternate day, and from 1st April 1 chittack of potatoes was given in lieu of 1 chittack of rice; from 4th July, <i>patal</i> was substituted in place of potatoes, and from the 26th July only <i>kachu</i> was given instead. From 30th August 1 chittack of fish and 1 chittack meat were given daily in lieu of 1 chittack of dal to all labouring prisoners—the former to the Hindus and the latter to the Mahomedans. From 26th December to the end of the year animal food was given twice a week. The majority of the convalescents and prisoners who losing weight were allowed bread at one meal and rice at the other; they were also allowed 8 chittacks of fine rice for both meals, and some of them milk in addition. They were also allowed animal food four times in the week throughout the year; 3 chittacks of <i>dahi</i> were given to the prisoners in lieu of dal from 29th March to 31st June, and from 22nd June to 11th July rice was reduced from 11 chittacks to 8 chittacks; from 12th July to 9th December it was raised to 10 chittacks, and from 10th December to the end of the year to 11 chittacks. Fish was given twice a week from 22nd June to 31st December. <i>Dahi</i> from 22nd June to 30th September, and meat from 1st October to the end of the year twice a week in lieu of an equivalent quantity of dal.</p> <p>Midnapore, District and Central. From 1st January to 17th February, rice was issued for both meals and from the 18th February up to the end of the year, it was issued for evening meal only. The quantity of mustard oil was increased from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 chittack per labouring prisoner, from the 30th March up to the end of the year, 1 chittack of <i>dahi</i> was issued to each of the labouring convicts twice in a week, in lieu of 1 chittack of dal, except the prisoners in the special gang, who were allowed 21 chittacks of fish instead of 14 chittacks of dal. Meat at the rate of 3 chittacks per each prisoner was issued to all the Burmese convicts from the 1st January to 27th September, from which date up to the end of the year 3 chittacks of fish instead of meat were issued to six Burmese only, and meat four times and fish three times a week were issued to the rest.</p> <p>Buxar, Central. Rice was issued to the Bengalis as well as to the Burmese prisoners at both meals on the recommendation of the medical officer.</p> <p>Rajshahye, District and Central. From the beginning of the year animal food in lieu of dal was given to all prisoners once a week. From the 17th October to the end of the year, 2 chittacks of fish, or <i>dahi</i>, or potatoes, were issued to all prisoners three a week at the recommendation of the medical officer. From the 1st November potatoes and <i>dahi</i> were discontinued, and fish was substituted three a week. One chittack extra vegetables was issued to all prisoners throughout the year.</p> <p>Dacca, District and Central. Animal food was issued to general body of prisoners once a week throughout the year; from 15th August to 31st October one chittack of extra vegetables was issued to all prisoners. Animal food was also issued three a week to all prisoners who were found losing weight and to those on special gang from 1st January to 22nd November.</p> <p>Hasaribagh ... From 10th to 14th August and from 11th to 22nd September, <i>atta</i> was issued in one meal and rice at the other. <i>Dahi</i> was issued twice a week to the prisoners getting labouring diet, in lieu of 2 chittacks dal; meat was issued to the Burman prisoners at 3 chittacks in lieu of 3 chittacks dal four times in a week. <i>Makai atta</i> was given in the morning meal from 2nd February to 9th March, and from 6th April to 31st May it was occasionally issued instead of 2 chittacks rice. From 1st to 31st December <i>makai atta</i> was issued every alternate day.</p> <p>Burdwan ... Owing to the low state of health of the prisoners, animal food consisting of 3 chittacks, <i>sh</i>, or 2 chittacks of meat, and 2 chittacks of fish was issued to the labouring prisoners throughout the year.</p> <p>Hooghly ... Animal food in the shape of beef and fish was regularly issued to the Mahomedans and the Hindus at 3 chittacks to each prisoner in lieu of dal up to October. Extra vegetables from the garden were supplied in abundance.</p> <p>Dinapore ... The allowance of oil was increased from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 of a chittack per prisoner from 1st September; from 15th November, animal food was issued four times a week instead of twice.</p> <p>Gya ... Since the 4th June, maize <i>atta</i> was stopped and wheat <i>atta</i> was substituted. From 1st October wheat <i>atta</i> was issued at both meals to the able-bodied prisoners, and rice to convalescents; from 2nd August <i>dahi</i> was issued to all prisoners every alternate day, and potatoes from 14th August till the end of October in lieu of dal. Meat was issued to all prisoners from 8th December three times a week at the rate of 2 chittacks instead of dal.</p> <p>Nuddea ... Two chittacks of extra vegetables from garden and $\frac{1}{2}$ chittack of extra salt were issued to the prisoners on the recommendation of the medical officer.</p> <p>Jessore ... Animal food in the shape of fish was given to the prisoners throughout the year.</p> <p>Rangpore ... Two chittacks of meat in lieu of as much dal was issued to the labouring convicts and under-trial prisoners three times a week in January and February, and twice a week in March. <i>Dahi</i> three times a week in April and May. <i>Dahi</i> and meat three times a week in June, July, August, September and October, and meat three times a week in November and December. The allowance of salt was increased from $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ of a chittack per prisoner, and that of mustard oil from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 of a chittack.</p> <p>Ferozpur ... Fish 94 times and <i>dahi</i> 169 times were issued to the prisoners in lieu of dal during the year.</p> <p>Backergunge ... From 1st January to 31st March, beef to Mahomedans and fish to Hindu prisoners were given twice in a week in lieu of 2 chittacks of dal; from 1st April to 7th September, <i>dahi</i> twice in a week 2 chittacks in place of 2 chittacks of dal; from 1st April to 9th September, and from 7th September to 30th November, beef and fish were again introduced. Fish was twice given in a week in December at 1 chittack per diet in lieu of the same quantity of dal.</p> <p>Mymensingh ... Two chittacks fish, or 2 chittacks <i>dahi</i> were supplied to the labouring prisoners throughout the year instead of 2 chittacks dal.</p> <p>Chittagong ... Two chittacks of animal food (in shape of <i>dahi</i>, potatoes, and fish) were given in lieu of dal twice a week.</p> <p>Patna ... Maize <i>atta</i> in lieu of wheat <i>atta</i> was issued from 1st January to 30th June, and again from 19th November till 31st December. Wheat <i>atta</i> was issued from 1st July to 17th November. The allowance of oil was increased from 2nd September to 7th November. Two chittacks of <i>dahi</i> in lieu of dal were issued to all prisoners four times in a week from 1st March to 2nd September, and twice a week from 2nd September to 4th November and 3 chittacks of meat in lieu of dal twice a week from 30th September till 31st December.</p>

STATEMENT No. IX—(JUDICIAL)—concluded.

Showing the Scales of Diet in force in the Jails and Subidiary Jails in Bengal during the year 1888.

PUNISHMENT DIET SCALE.	NOTE OF ANY CHANGES EFFECTED IN THE DIET SCALES DURING THE YEAR 1888.
Shahabad	... From 1st to 4th January, 6 chittacks makai atta and 5 chittacks wheat atta were issued; from 5th January to 13th February, 12 chittacks of makai atta for both the meals were issued. From 14th February to 29th April, 6 chittacks rice and 6 chittacks makai atta were given to the labouring prisoners, with the exception of 2nd to 20th April, when 5 chittacks wheat atta in lieu of 6 chittacks makai atta once in a week was issued owing to diarrhoea and dysentery being prevalent amongst the prisoners. From 30th April to 31st July, 6 chittacks rice and 5 chittacks wheat atta were issued on account of excessive heat. From 1st to 31st August, 10 chittacks of wheat atta for both the meals were issued owing to the price of rice having gone up. From 1st September to 8th December, 6 chittacks of rice and 5 chittacks atta were issued owing to the prevalence of cholera in the town. From 9th to 31st December, wheat with one-fourth makai atta was given for both the meals, these being cheapest.
Mozufferpore	... Throughout the year the convalescents and the prisoners losing weight were allowed milk, fish, dahi, &c. Beef was issued to the Burmese prisoners throughout the year. During the outbreak of cholera in August, dahi was issued to the prisoner in lieu of dāl.
Barun	... From 1st to 31st May, rice was issued for both the meals instead of maize or wheat and rice.
Chumparun	... From 1st October to 30th November, wheat and maize mixed were issued for one meal. From January up to 31st July $\frac{1}{2}$ of maize atta and $\frac{1}{2}$ of wheat atta were issued for one meal. The quantity of mustard oil was increased from $\frac{1}{2}$ chittack to $\frac{1}{4}$ chittack from 4th September to 31st October. From 8th February to 4th March, 6 chittacks of potatoes were issued in lieu of $\frac{1}{2}$ chittacks of wheat and maize atta.
Morghyr	... Animal food in the shape of meat, fish, dahi and milk was issued daily to the weakly and Burmese prisoners. As a precautionary measure against cholera, rice was issued in both meals from 1st to 21st October.
Cuttaok	... One chittack of meat was issued to all convicts every alternate day in lieu of one chittack of dāl throughout the year. One chittack of dahi was also daily used in lieu of one chittack of dāl from 1st January to 8th May. From 24th May to 28th August and from 13th October to 7th November, and since 8th November to the end of the year, one chittack of dahi was issued every alternate day in lieu of one chittack dāl.
Darjeeling	... Two chittacks of meat were allowed in place of 3 chittacks of dāl twice a week throughout the year. In October, November, and December 2 chittacks of dahi were issued once in a week in lieu of 3 chittacks of dāl. From 6th October 5 chittacks of rice per diem were issued in place of 6 chittacks; dahi was substituted in place of dāl.
Durbhunga	... Makai atta was given from 1st to 2nd January, from 1st February to 2nd April, and from 26th September to 21st October, and rice at both meals from 4th January to 31st January, again from 3rd April, to 28th September, and from 22nd October to 31st December.
Lohardugga	... Extra meat and milk were given to the prisoners of the convalescent gang throughout the year.
Bankoora	... One chittack of fish was issued daily to all prisoners twice a week from January in August in lieu of 1 chittack of dāl, and 2 chittacks of dahi in lieu of 2 chittacks of dāl once a week to all prisoners throughout the year. Extra fish was given daily to old and infirm prisoners on the recommendations of the medical officer.
Beerbhoom	... Two chittacks of dahi and 1 chittack of dāl were given throughout the year to all prisoners except on Sunday; 3 chittacks of meat were given only on Sundays.
Bogra	... Two chittacks of potatoes were issued three times in April, twice in May, five times in June, twice in July, six times in August, five times in September, twice in October, once in November and six times in December in place of meat and fish.
Maldah	... One and-a-half chittacks of animal food were issued eleven times each in January and December, ten times in February, eight times each in March and October, twelve times in April, fifteen times in May, thirteen times each in June and November, six times in July, once in August, and three in September, in lieu of the same quantity of dāl to prisoners getting labouring scale of diet.
Julpigoree	... The increased quantity of oil, one-third chittack to each prisoner, labouring or non-labouring, was allowed throughout the year. The increased quantity of vegetables, 4 chittacks to each prisoner, was in force up to the end of August; from the beginning of September an increased quantity by one chittack more to each prisoner was issued up to the end of the year on the recommendation of the medical officer; from the beginning of July to the end of August lime juice was issued instead of tamarind, and an increased quantity of salt by $\frac{1}{2}$ chittack was also given to all the prisoners from the beginning of October. During the first and last months of the year no dahi was issued to the prisoners. Potatoes were issued as animal food at the scale of 3 chittacks to each prisoner from the beginning of August to the end of October.
Noakholly	... Animal food was issued in lieu of 3 chittacks of dāl when considered necessary.
Tipperah	... Increased quantity of salt was issued to the prisoners as a precautionary measure to check diarrhoea according to the suggestion of the medical officer. Animal food was duly given to the convalescents and the prisoners who lost weight.
Pooree	... Animal food in the shape of mutton was issued to the prisoners in lieu of dāl. Fish or dahi was given thirty-eight times during the year.
Balasore	... Two chittacks of fish in lieu of 3 chittacks of dāl were issued to all the prisoners four times a week throughout the year. Extra salt of one-eighth chittack per prisoner was issued to all the prisoners from the 2nd April to the 31st May, and from the 29th July to the 4th September, when there was cholera in the neighbouring villages. The increased quantity of oil ($\frac{1}{2}$ chittack per prisoner) was also issued to all the prisoners from the 8th September to the end of the year.
Singbhoom	... Animal food, 3 chittacks, in place of dāl was given to the prisoners four times a week throughout the year.
Khowlna	... One and-a-half chittacks of fish were issued daily in lieu of $\frac{1}{2}$ chittack of dāl to the labouring prisoners on account of bowel-complaints up to the 20th April; from the 21st April to the end of the year $\frac{1}{2}$ chittack fish in lieu of 1 chittack dāl, and 1 chittack of fish was issued daily in lieu of 1 chittack of dāl for the whole year to the non-labouring prisoners.

PART B.



FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

STATEMENT
Showing the Expenditure in Guarding and Maintaining the PRISONERS
the cost of building new Jails,

	1	2	3				4		5	
			AVERAGE NUMBER OF PRISONERS.				RATIONS.		ESTABLISHMENT.	
							A.	B.	A.	B.
			Convicts.	Under-trial.	Civil.	Total.	Total cost.	Cost per head of average strength, excluding civil prisoners.	Total cost.	Cost per head of average strength.
	Serial number.	JAILS.					Ra.	Ra. A. P.	Ra.	Ra. A. P.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District & Central ...	1,578'51	28'67	0'25	1,607'43	39,188	24 3 3	41,648	25 11 10
	2	Presidency { District & Central	1,158'68	13'33	43'23	1,182'24	27,567	23 9 3	21,361	18 1 1
		European ...	29'07	1'04	1'55	32'36	2,834	91 6 3	14,880	508 9 10
	3	Midnapore—District & Central	673'13	13'06	1'06	688'17	13,123	19 1 6	20,028	30 1 1
	4	Bhagulpore—District & Central	989'50	24'31	2'03	1,017'03	23,008	22 10 3	31,794	31 3 3
	5	Buxar—Central ...	994'30	.....	.....	994'30	21,684	31 12 11	30,638	30 12 11
	6	Rajahmundry—District & Central	754'22	15'27	1'53	771'52	16,007	30 13 8	12,732	17 13 3
	7	Dacca—District & Central ...	930'77	13'30	3'30	947'37	21,268	23 8 5	22,007	23 3 5
	8	Hasaribagh ...	187'22	30'66	0'70	178'48	4,181	23 3 3	3,424	47 3 2
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	9	Burdwan ...	173'42	7'73	0'75	183'90	2,723	20 5 3	5,592	30 6 6
	10	Hooghly ...	315'49	9'23	2'57	327'29	7,238	22 4 7	6,310	19 14 2
	11	Moorshedabad ...	167'77	5'23	1'25	174'25	3,554	20 8 1	6,646	38 1 2
	12	Dinapore ...	189'09	38'46	2'41	228'89	3,762	16 9 9	7,431	32 7 5
	13	Gya ...	248'65	26'05	3'03	277'73	9,600	25 9 11	5,963	15 12 6
	14	Nuddea ...	111'68	8'39	0'39	120'46	2,214	16 7 0	7,980	58 9 3
	15	Jessore ...	137'61	14'59	1'18	153'37	2,820	18 13 7	6,607	43 1 3
	16	Rungpore ...	230'40	11'01	4'74	247'03	3,934	16 5 1	6,880	30 10 9
	17	Furzedpore ...	318'67	37'24	1'09	357'00	4,477	17 7 10	6,933	36 18 9
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	18	Backergunge ...	296'90	34'46	5'79	321'15	5,622	17 13 2	6,301	19 9 11
	19	Mymensingh ...	235'71	28'67	4'78	269'06	5,837	22 1 4	7,186	36 11 3
	20	Chittagong ...	99'06	14'29	2'33	116'30	2,278	20 1 6	5,722	46 3 2
	21	Patna ...	137'73	26'78	3'06	168'00	3,737	22 10 5	6,079	36 7 9
	22	Shahabad ...	138'03	21'02	1'63	161'58	3,304	20 10 6	5,047	31 3 9
	23	Mozufferpore ...	167'07	13'78	1'46	182'31	2,461	19 3 2	6,391	35 0 10
	24	Baran ...	167'67	14'61	1'37	183'65	4,239	21 0 10	6,094	29 16 9
	25	Chumpran ...	137'13	17'47	3'42	158'02	2,995	17 3 5	5,938	23 8 8
	26	Monghyr ...	275'70	31'18	4'06	310'96	5,224	17 0 4	5,484	17 7 7
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	27	Cuttack ...	246'95	23'97	1'32	272'11	5,438	19 11 5	6,451	23 4 5
	28	Darjeeling ...	77'77	5'31	0'46	84'03	2,929	33 0 8	7,648	30 15 10
	29	Durbhanga ...	130'63	10'55	1'87	143'05	2,661	21 10 8	5,919	41 4 1
	30	Lohardugga ...	125'83	23'68	1'44	150'77	3,664	28 8 7	6,318	37 7 10
		Total for Central and District Jails.	11,439'68	655'23	73'89	12,068'80	2,62,217	21 13 9	2,46,441	28 11 8
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	31	Bankura ...	40'09	5'29	0'55	46'23	704	16 12 4	2,419	73 15 3
	32	Boorbhoom ...	30'64	9'54	0'37	41'29	899	21 1 11	2,656	68 5 9
	33	Boara ...	24'19	0'29	3'18	27'66	588	14 0 3	4,022	101 10 3
	34	Maldah ...	36'47	0'36	3'64	40'47	781	16 6 9	2,172	68 3 8
	35	Patna ...	44'46	23'63	0'94	69'03	1,399	20 7 4	2,298	67 13 8
	36	Jalpigrova ...	45'46	22'51	2'13	70'10	1,409	22 6 8	2,266	46 1 1
	37	Noakholly ...	56'10	16'25	3'06	69'41	1,364	20 12 10	2,129	45 7 11
	38	Tippurah ...	41'08	10'31	0'37	51'76	634	16 1 1	2,000	71 7 9
	39	Purneah ...	68'92	12'97	1'04	81'93	1,148	15 4 10	2,524	46 14 1
	40	Poorbe ...	36'08	7'47	1'43	45'08	969	20 12 10	2,041	67 9 3
	41	Balasure ...	34'71	14'37	.....	69'08	1,032	20 12 0	2,046	69 6 2
	42	Singbhoom ...	35'03	16'73	0'16	51'92	1,477	20 0 9	2,106	67 7 8
	43	Masbhoom ...	66'00	15'37	1'28	82'65	1,701	20 6 6	2,399	45 10 6
	44	Khoolna ...	19'27	14'05	1'48	34'74	695	16 2 6	4,125	113 0 5
		Total for Intermediate Jails	611'05	140'57	37'26	818'88	14,915	18 25 2	63,700	29 12 6
		Total for all Jails	12,051'00	736'79	89'25	12,876'04	2,77,232	21 19 10	2,50,244	29 10 9
		Add for Subordinate Jails	337'36	51'91	0'45	389'72	14,468	21 12 5	62,864	71 9 4
		GRAND TOTAL	12,375'41	1,339'51	97'35	13,712'27	2,96,168	21 10 11	3,13,968	30 3 3

Note.—The average cost per head in columns 4 and 5 has been calculated after deducting the civil prisoners. 10'45 and 3'00 specified Noakholly Intermediate Jail were taken in calculating the average cost under head At Bhagulpore Rs. 247, at Buxar Rs. 166, at Hasaribagh Rs. 55, and at Chittagong Rs. 125

No K.—(FINANCIAL).

in the Jail and Subsidiary Jail of Bengal during the year 1888, excluding of additions, alterations, and repairs.

6			7		8		9	10	11	
HOSPITAL CHARGES.			CLOTHING.		CONTINGENCIES.		Grand total expenditure.	Total cost per head of average strength.	Serial number.	JAILS.
A.	B.	C.	A.	B.	A.	B.				
Total cost.	Cost per head of average strength.	Cost per head of average number sick.	Total cost.	Cost per head of average strength, excluding civil prisoners.	Total cost.	Cost per head of average strength.				
Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.		
4,002	3 14 3	56 6 9	5,978	3 11 1	10,984	6 13 7	1,02,441	68 5 1	1	Allpore—District and Central.
7,530	6 5 10	132 0 3	6,378	5 5 11	8,809	7 8 0	71,808	60 9 0	2	Providence { District and Central. European.
441	13 10 0	309 0 0	536	17 4 6	388	11 14 4	30,376	635 13 6	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
2,700	3 16 9	55 5 2	2,055	4 7 1	4,354	6 5 3	43,127	68 13 4	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
2,639	2 6 3	50 14 6	2,014	4 14 11	7,430	7 4 6	69,673	68 5 11	5	Buxar—Central.
2,574	2 9 5	110 1 0	4,710	4 11 9	5,231	5 4 2	64,434	65 3 2	6	Rajahmundry—District and Central.
2,780	3 3 5	45 12 7	2,421	3 2 3	4,415	5 11 0	39,315	50 15 6	7	Dacca—District and Central.
6,763	8 15 4	108 11 8	2,734	3 16 3	10,678	11 7 7	61,640	65 0 5	8	Hasaribagh.
274	1 3 6	40 7 8	714	4 0 3	1,692	9 7 8	15,293	85 1 3	9	Burdwan.
681	2 11 2	73 13 6	1,013	5 8 3	2,077	11 4 8	13,046	71 3 0	10	Hooghly.
776	2 5 11	53 4 8	2,484	7 1 4	1,714	5 3 9	16,722	57 2 2	11	Moorsheadabad.
465	2 12 5	54 4 11	1,421	5 14 3	2,028	11 9 10	13,784	78 10 11	12	Dinapore.
1,063	4 9 7	115 13 5	1,407	6 3 4	3,140	13 12 1	16,402	73 6 0	13	Gya.
1,523	4 0 5	81 14 7	1,672	4 7 4	2,682	7 0 9	21,410	50 11 3	14	Nuddea.
676	4 12 6	117 8 9	417	3 7 6	1,444	11 15 0	11,703	67 2 8	15	Jessore.
936	1 5 7	37 12 1	617	4 0 10	1,247	8 2 1	11,576	75 7 7	16	Rungpore.
1,522	6 2 6	143 5 0	1,262	6 7 1	2,374	9 10 0	16,006	64 12 7	17	Furzedpore.
634	3 5 2	67 3 0	1,010	3 13 1	2,923	10 13 10	10,101	63 10 4	18	Bachergunge.
1,788	5 9 0	87 14 5	1,440	4 9 6	2,410	7 8 0	17,670	54 11 4	19	Mymensingh.
1,021	3 12 8	96 0 9	1,305	4 15 0	2,380	8 11 4	17,600	65 12 5	20	Chittagong.
190	1 10 1	34 6 4	533	4 14 0	2,318	21 10 4	11,261	90 15 2	21	Patna.
523	2 2 2	74 4 8	1,171	7 1 10	1,933	11 12 6	13,963	80 12 11	22	Shahabad.
280	2 5 7	59 4 6	783	4 14 2	1,100	7 3 9	10,493	60 1 10	23	Mosafferpore.
604	3 5 0	74 12 0	633	2 15 1	1,912	10 7 9	12,901	70 12 2	24	Saran.
406	1 15 10	43 12 0	707	3 7 11	1,020	7 15 3	13,086	64 4 1	25	Chumpanan.
1,100	6 3 5	83 0 3	1,232	7 0 10	1,408	10 11 6	13,163	74 5 8	26	Monghyr.
1,267	4 6 4	219 0 9	1,300	4 4 5	1,607	5 2 8	15,023	68 4 10	27	Cuttack.
206	6 9	25 12 6	928	3 5 10	1,452	6 10 11	16,484	54 5 9	28	Darjeeling.
682	8 1 10	109 10 4	575	10 7 6	2,293	39 3 4	15,427	183 8 10	29	Darbhanga.
225	1 9 1	33 13 2	489	3 7 4	1,641	11 7 8	11,326	79 1 1	30	Lohardugga.
561	5 3 1	123 5 2	734	4 7 3	1,406	9 0 4	13,179	79 7 3		Total for Central and District Jails.
44,300	3 10 9	77 3 7	55,750	4 19 5	89,477	8 5 10	8,00,294	66 15 7		
136	2 15 0	32 5 1	37	0 13 0	623	13 5 3	4,951	107 12 1	31	Bankura.
48	1 0 7	80 9 4	109	2 1 5	549	14 4 2	5,455	132 1 10	32	Berhampur.
50	1 7 9	88 0 11	40	1 1 0	342	8 10 6	4,364	126 0 3	33	Bogra.
170	2 5 4	52 12 8	24	0 8 9	587	11 5 3	4,736	92 14 5	34	Malda.
86	1 3 9	49 1 2	135	1 12 5	619	11 14 0	5,715	83 15 8	35	Patna.
340	3 4 2	167 13 2	230	3 14 9	954	13 0 0	6,444	87 15 1	36	Jalpigore.
102	1 7 6	33 14 7	131	1 15 7	678	9 11 1	5,439	74 10 0	37	Noakhally.
216	2 1 3	31 13 10	138	2 9 7	725	13 9 10	5,799	103 15 11	38	Tippera.
302	7 4 1	167 13 10	218	2 11 0	579	7 1 0	5,904	71 14 2	39	Furnab.
86	1 1 9	34 11 5	124	3 9 2	798	17 9 7	4,143	109 15 8	40	Porae.
75	1 7 6	31 4 0	118	2 6 0	731	14 11 10	6,500	94 13 3	41	Balesore.
268	4 15 1	39 10 9	290	3 14 11	821	11 1 11	6,049	82 7 8	42	Hinghoom.
95	0 5 3	40 9 3	784	9 0 2	936	11 0 1	7,313	86 13 3	43	Manbhoom.
212	6 3 1	73 11 2	103	3 0 11	845	15 15 7	5,410	101 7 9	44	Khoulina.
2,272	3 13 6	66 11 4	2,239	3 2 10	9,735	11 14 11	74,225	95 0 7		Total for Intermediate Jails.
65,082	3 9 11	75 6 0	55,390	4 5 11	1,00,213	5 7 9	8,06,410	68 12 11		Total for all Jails.
204	0 5 3	15 5 10	25	0 1 4	19,579	22 13 10	96,854	116 10 3		Add for Subsidiary Jails.
65,286	3 6 3	75 6 11	55,415	4 4 5	1,20,892	9 3 5	9,03,264	71 13 3		GRAND TOTAL.

Prisoners at Allpore and Bhagulpore Central Jails were taken into account in calculating the average cost. Similarly 608 revenue defaulters at were included in the civil prisoners. number of 176, 170, 633 and 142 European prisoners respectively.

STATEMENT

Showing the Expenditure in Guarding and Maintaining the PRISONERS in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails compared with the expenditure on the same account

Serial number.	JAILS.	Cost of ration per head of average strength.				Cost of establishment per head of average strength.				Cost of hospital charges per head of average strength.			
		1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
1	Allpore—District and Central ...	25 2	24 7	21 2	24 5	19 1	18 14	24 4	25 11	5 2	5 7	2 10	2 14
2	Presidency—{ District and Central ...	25 11	24 2	21 5	23 9	20 6	18 5	17 12	18 1	5 0	4 0	5 8	6 5
3	Midnapore—District and Central...	23 5	24 7	21 2	19 1	27 11	26 9	33 5	30 1	4 8	4 3	2 12	2 14
4	Bhagulpore—District and Central ...	22 7	23 0	21 8	22 10	28 7	30 0	32 5	31 3	1 9	1 10	2 2	2 6
5	Buxar—Central ...	18 13	19 6	18 14	21 12	26 4	23 10	29 9	30 12	1 12	2 1	1 12	2 9
6	Bajelshahy—District and Central ...	24 8	20 2	18 9	20 12	16 15	21 10	20 2	17 12	4 15	4 0	5 5	5 5
7	Dacca—District and Central ...	29 10	29 7	22 11	22 8	17 4	20 11	24 12	23 3	3 0	4 9	5 11	3 15
8	Hazaribagh ...	27 1	24 10	17 2	23 8	17 9	22 13	60 3	47 3	1 14	1 6	1 13	1 6
9	Burdwan ...	25 6	23 11	18 14	20 5	23 14	41 6	65 14	30 6	2 12	2 11	4 1	2 11
10	Hooghly ...	24 8	23 1	21 6	22 4	20 8	18 12	25 14	19 14	2 6	2 5	3 9	2 5
11	Moorshedabad ...	24 10	20 15	18 12	20 6	25 2	22 13	66 9	38 1	1 9	2 14	3 2	2 12
12	Dinapore ...	23 0	18 9	18 12	16 9	24 2	20 15	52 2	32 7	4 2	4 5	2 14	4 9
13	Gya ...	24 1	21 9	23 10	23 9	16 9	18 1	23 7	15 12	0 10	1 4	1 9	4 0
14	Nuddea ...	24 10	23 3	23 4	18 7	29 11	26 8	51 11	58 9	2 8	2 7	2 12	4 12
15	Jessore ...	21 0	19 10	17 9	18 13	24 1	31 4	40 11	43 1	1 15	2 4	1 9	1 6
16	Rangpore ...	26 1	19 12	18 14	16 5	21 1	24 5	28 11	26 10	6 9	3 8	3 9	6 2
17	Farrakapore ...	20 9	23 2	17 6	17 7	23 14	31 3	34 1	26 16	5 11	4 0	4 2	3 5
18	Backergunge ...	26 7	21 15	20 3	17 13	20 8	24 6	23 12	19 9	1 14	2 5	2 15	5 9
19	Mymensingh ...	24 9	23 12	22 12	22 1	15 0	22 1	22 2	26 11	4 9	3 4	4 9	3 12
20	Chittagong ...	27 10	23 12	22 5	20 1	53 2	50 2	63 9	49 2	2 4	3 1	2 7	1 10
21	Patna ...	22 11	21 4	18 1	22 10	25 2	29 12	28 6	36 7	0 7	0 6	1 10	3 2
22	Shahabad ...	19 5	18 8	19 2	20 10	28 2	28 10	36 9	31 3	0 11	1 7	1 15	2 5
23	Mosufferpore ...	27 5	23 1	18 4	19 2	29 1	20 9	33 10	35 0	2 1	2 14	2 11	2 4
24	Saran ...	18 8	19 11	18 0	21 0	20 2	23 13	21 15	29 14	2 6	2 14	1 14	1 15
25	Chumpanan ...	23 5	16 8	13 9	17 2	22 2	27 5	41 12	33 8	7 10	5 1	5 6	6 3
26	Monghyr ...	25 2	20 1	13 10	17 0	26 8	26 2	25 2	17 7	1 3	2 10	2 5	4 6
27	Outland ...	20 10	21 9	19 2	19 11	26 5	25 13	34 9	23 4	0 10	0 7	0 12	1 6
28	Darjeeling ...	22 12	21 11	20 8	25 0	60 12	69 7	71 0	90 12	4 11	4 12	6 5	2 1
29	Durbhunga ...	24 9	21 9	18 2	21 10	21 13	29 2	40 12	41 4	0 9	0 12	1 4	1 9
30	Lohardugga ...	26 13	21 11	19 8	22 2	27 9	24 7	43 1	27 7	1 10	2 2	2 9	2 2
31	Bankoora ...	23 1	19 9	17 11	16 12	46 12	38 14	65 1	73 12	2 8	2 8	2 10	2 12
32	Berhoom ...	22 2	19 15	17 9	21 1	22 13	28 2	32 0	25 5	0 14	1 6	2 4	1 6
33	Bogra ...	22 12	18 9	13 15	14 0	40 0	57 8	66 5	101 10	4 4	2 3	2 1	1 7
34	Maldah ...	24 0	17 5	14 12	16 8	23 14	60 12	63 5	63 2	1 12	1 8	2 1	2 5
35	Pubna ...	24 0	20 8	19 10	20 7	22 0	40 2	58 2	47 12	2 9	3 7	1 6	1 8
36	Jalpigoree ...	22 11	24 5	23 2	22 6	41 1	60 0	64 12	46 1	4 6	2 14	2 4	2 4
37	Noakholly ...	25 14	24 15	20 6	20 12	40 6	46 10	74 12	45 7	1 2	1 4	0 12	1 7
38	Tipperah ...	21 2	22 12	19 9	16 1	56 2	57 11	66 4	71 7	2 7	2 14	1 12	2 1
39	Purneah ...	22 7	13 12	14 1	14 4	48 14	40 4	64 1	40 14	2 12	2 7	4 12	7 4
40	Poorce ...	17 12	18 12	16 12	20 12	72 12	67 12	82 2	67 9	1 16	2 2	1 12	1 1
41	Balasore ...	20 12	20 7	18 11	20 12	66 1	61 12	106 12	29 6	0 10	1 9	1 12	1 7
42	Snghoom ...	12 2	16 10	12 10	20 0	22 5	70 6	21 4	22 7	2 6	2 12	2 12	0 22
43	Manbhoom ...	19 2	17 4	16 2	20 4	40 12	20 5	57 1	45 10	0 4	0 2	0 2	0 2
44	Khoolna ...	24 10	19 2	18 7	12 2	61 10	104 9	121 1	119 0	2 2	2 2	6 2	6 2
45	Bhagulpore—District*	18 5	19 2	.....	.....	26 2	21 5	.....	.....	2 1	4 14	.....	.....
	Total for Jails	24 5	22 15	20 4	21 10	27 5	22 10	24 14	20 10	2 6	2 0	2 1	2 9
	Add for Subsidiary Jails	22 12	22 0	21 4	21 12	66 2	24 5	75 7	71 2	0 6	0 4	0 2	0 6
	GRAND TOTAL	24 7	22 14	20 8	21 10	29 2	22 0	27 2	20 12	2 4	2 14	2 12	2 5

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of Bengal during the year 1888 (excluding the cost of building new Jails, of additions, alterations, and repairs) in each of the three preceding years.

6				7				8				9	
Cost of clothing per head of average strength.				Cost of contingencies per head of average strength.				Total cost per head of average strength.				Serial number.	JAILS.
1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.		
Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.		
4 6	5 0	5 10	5 11	3 7	3 13	3 13	6 12	57 1	58 10	58 8	63 3	1	Alipore—District and Central.
2 15	2 15	2 6	5 3	6 6	5 0	7 8	7 8	60 15	54 12	54 12	60 9	2	Presidency { District and Central. European.
30 6	18 5	34 7	17 4	9 14	7 3	10 9	11 14	465 4	424 4	561 12	625 13	3	Midnapore—District and Central. *
3 1	3 4	2 11	4 7	8 8	8 4	6 6	6 3	61 12	63 12	66 8	63 12	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
3 14	6 2	3 7	4 14	8 6	3 2	4 9	7 4	59 12	63 1	64 14	68 3	5	Buxar—Central.
6 2	4 4	6 6	4 11	6 9	5 3	3 8	5 6	66 12	54 10	60 4	68 3	6	Rajahmundry—District and Central.
5 12	3 14	3 10	2 2	3 14	5 6	4 8	5 11	55 12	54 12	60 9	60 15	7	Dacca—District and Central.
3 14	1 4	2 3	3 15	9 2	8 2	7 12	11 7	64 11	64 6	61 14	68 9	8	Haaribagh.
7 0	3 8	2 3	4 0	4 15	6 4	8 15	9 7	58 7	58 9	61 2	68 1	9	Burdwan.
6 11	3 9	6 15	8 8	9 10	8 13	10 11	11 4	76 15	79 14	113 18	71 2	10	Hooghly.
9 2	6 3	2 1	7 1	4 3	6	6 4	5 3	53 11	53 1	67 1	57 3	11	Moorsheadabad.
6 6	3 7	2 0	5 14	7 8	9 3	12 8	11 9	64 6	70 3	102 14	78 10	12	Dinapore.
7 6	6 12	8 11	6 3	6 14	22 12	13 6	13 12	74 8	94 14	91 5	73 6	13	Gya.
7 0	3 14	4 2	4 7	3 8	6 6	8 11	7 0	58 8	52 12	60 15	56 11	14	Nudda.
6 3	3 14	3 4	3 7	7 10	6 10	9 5	11 12	80 6	73 2	94 11	97 2	15	Jessore.
2 15	4 3	4 0	4 0	4 3	4 14	6 12	8 3	56 12	61 12	70 8	75 7	16	Rungpore.
6 10	5 6	3 0	6 7	5 8	6 11	7 3	9 10	62 10	56 10	57 6	64 12	17	Farrukpore.
2 14	9 9	4 14	3 15	7 3	5 1	7 12	10 15	65 6	73 15	69 15	62 10	18	Backergunge.
3 2	4 9	5 15	4 9	7 6	9 1	6 2	7 8	56 4	60 10	67 15	54 11	19	Mymensingh.
9 7	4 3	2 12	4 15	8 14	5 10	8 11	8 11	61 7	59 8	70 2	65 12	20	Chittagong.
3 7	7 4	2 5	4 14	16 12	16 11	15 4	21 10	101 14	109 1	105 2	90 12	21	Paina.
5 6	4 3	3 2	7 1	6 5	6 6	9 10	11 12	59 6	61 7	60 12	60 12	22	Shahabad.
6 3	2 15	3 14	4 14	6 3	6 12	9 2	7 2	70 5	58 0	70 1	60 1	23	Muzafferpore.
5 12	4 14	2 5	3 15	6 12	8 6	8 3	10 7	69 12	69 7	66 12	70 12	24	Karun.
6 6	5 9	5 4	3 7	4 12	6 9	7 15	7 15	52 3	50 1	64 12	64 4	25	Chumbarun.
7 1	3 3	1 12	7 0	11 0	7 8	9 7	19 11	73 12	64 12	71 7	74 5	26	Monshyr.
4 3	3 10	3 15	4 4	6 12	8 2	5 11	5 2	60 2	64 4	60 7	48 4	27	Cuttack.
1 14	2 1	3 6	3 3	3 14	4 12	5 2	6 10	52 15	57 7	61 10	54 5	28	Darjeeling.
9 1	6 11	8 0	10 7	22 9	18 12	18 7	20 2	126 8	123 5	184 0	183 8	29	Durbhanga.
5 12	2 3	6 6	3 7	6 1	4 12	9 1	11 7	64 4	68 4	61 4	79 1	30	Lohardugga.
5 4	5 4	5 12	4 7	6 10	7 12	7 7	9 0	60 10	71 12	79 5	79 7	31	Bankura.
2 2	4 5	2 12	6 12	7 3	5 7	8 0	13 8	61 7	70 10	66 0	107 12	32	Beerbhoom.
7 9	6 12	2 12	3 1	6 4	7 1	9 10	14 4	72 12	71 1	84 2	132 1	33	Rogra.
2 3	3 15	5 2	1 1	7 3	6 14	9 12	8 10	55 12	60 1	66 6	125 0	34	Maldah.
6 6	7 2	2 9	6 8	9 6	10 5	8 7	11 6	64 4	104 12	91 12	92 14	35	Pubna.
2 12	7 12	4 0	1 12	7 11	9 1	8 14	11 14	66 1	66 12	62 0	82 12	36	Jalpigoree.
7 14	2 12	4 0	8 14	12 2	7 14	11 9	12 0	60 6	64 5	106 9	87 12	37	Neahholly.
6 12	6 3	4 6	1 12	12 14	9 14	8 12	9 11	59 4	66 1	106 11	79 10	38	Tippurah.
2 9	6 2	1 5	2 9	8 12	12 12	8 11	12 6	91 12	82 2	86 14	106 15	39	Purneah.
2 12	2 10	4 6	2 11	7 5	6 2	9 12	7 1	60 0	63 14	76 12	71 14	40	Poorce.
2 10	6 9	2 9	3 0	10 6	12 10	16 12	17 9	106 2	106 12	120 4	120 12	41	Balesore.
2 3	4 6	1 12	2 6	6 7	7 8	17 0	14 11	66 7	66 12	146 4	96 12	42	Singbhoom.
5 6	6 20	2 6	3 14	10 0	12 12	12 1	11 1	119 4	117 6	112 14	82 7	43	Manbhoom.
6 10	3 7	2 1	9 0	6 7	6 12	7 12	11 0	60 1	76 6	82 2	65 12	44	Khoolna.
2 3	9 8	10 8	2 9	12 12	19 6	14 8	16 12	100 0	124 7	107 4	161 7	45	Bhagulpore—District.*
6 12	6 1	-----	-----	2 5	7 12	-----	-----	70 1	66 7	-----	-----	46	
4 14	6 4	3 10	4 8	6 1	5 2	7 1	8 7	62 11	64 14	62 12	66 12	Total for Jails.	
6 5	9 5	6 4	6 1	20 6	21 7	20 6	22 12	111 6	120 2	120 10	116 10	Add for Subordinate Jails.	
6 10	4 1	3 10	4 6	6 12	6 14	7 14	9 5	67 14	67 14	72 0	71 12	GRAND TOTAL.	

STATEMENT

Showing the employment of CONVICTS in the Jails and

1	2	3	4	5	6	7					
						AVERAGE NUMBER EMPLOYED					
						A.	ON PRISON DUTY.				
Serial no. - loc.	JAILS.	Average number not sentenced to labour.	Average number under sentence of labour on working days.	Average number sick.	Average number convalescent and indra.	On unremunerative labour.	B.	C.	D.	E.	F.
							Prison officers.	Prison servants.	Gardening.	Employed in preparing articles for use or consumption in jails, e.g., wheat-grinding, manufacturing of prison clothing, &c.	Jail repairs.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1 Allpore—District and Central ...	5'06	1,005'71	79'51	29'19	78'02	107'46	134'12	63'73	5'02	.....
	2 Presidency { District and Central	6'43	1,137'92	69'52	64'88	14'13	61'04	115'60	81'35	29'64	.....
	3 Midnapore—District and Central	1'63	27'10	2'07	1'40	0'93	1'03	1'04	.....	2'25	.....
	4 Bhagalpore—District and Central	7'14	665'78	50'20	47'19	28'26	41'45	52'87	57'24	25'18	.....
	5 Buxar—Central ...	6'52	940'07	45'33	119'80	23'60	56'30	96'96	33'95	62'13	20'90
	6 Rajahmundry—District and Central	0'20	900'80	23'60	47'96	116'10	56'74	85'26	29'11	53'78	.....
	7 Dacca—District and Central ...	1'15	770'57	60'21	70'06	0'30	45'29	92'77	25'98	13'94	.....
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	8 Hazaribagh ...	3'04	923'64	34'46	36'21	5'11	65'35	75'76	44'31	27'72	.....
	9 Burdwan ...	0'5	154'41	6'34	23'04	40'64	6'35	15'24	23'14	12'13	.....
	10 Hooghly ...	2'06	170'91	8'86	10'31	13'30	10'96	16'76	52'48	10'98	.....
	11 Moorshabad ...	4'72	204'28	14'08	14'14	.....	15'32	24'21	9'72	16'91	.....
	12 Dinagepore ...	2'06	163'78	9'24	13'97	0'79	10'14	15'61	14'34	6'01	.....
	13 Gya ...	3'49	187'12	8'67	29'41	5'42	13'37	23'19	18'38	20'27	23'79
	14 Nuddea ...	6'13	338'06	18'87	40'40	.....	10'30	39'09	19'80	23'00	0'17
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	15 Jessor ...	1'08	108'85	4'88	23'74	.....	7'09	10'87	16'75	12'08	.....
	16 Rangpore ...	1'08	146'48	6'12	10'70	.....	10'80	12'60	16'29	4'51	2'06
	17 Furruckpore ...	1'88	230'10	10'84	24'73	.....	14'88	21'27	17'18	24'16	17'80
	18 Backergunge ...	2'71	218'47	12'70	44'15	0'16	15'49	20'63	15'76	10'45	.....
	19 Mymensingh ...	2'10	283'63	18'84	46'73	.....	20'00	29'36	32'92	29'48	5'74
	20 Chittagong ...	3'00	228'90	11'02	28'54	14'69	15'89	26'44	53'26	16'75	18'37
	21 Patna ...	2'45	105'21	5'04	16'66	2'12	7'00	11'80	7'00	3'04	2'70
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	22 Shahabad ...	1'37	153'53	8'03	50'21	.....	7'58	18'23	16'85	6'09	.....
	23 Morarhpore ...	4'23	180'45	5'71	15'32	3'99	7'82	12'63	11'30	11'79	7'52
	24 Baran ...	1'18	108'31	7'72	20'00	.....	10'45	16'03	13'64	13'65	.....
	25 Champaran ...	3'24	181'72	9'47	34'07	.....	8'93	22'86	16'08	20'83	.....
	26 Monghyr ...	0'61	155'92	12'18	28'55	.....	9'03	21'00	17'10	15'44	.....
	27 Cuttack ...	2'17	269'70	6'30	45'45	45'65	10'19	41'14	12'03	17'85	1'92
	28 Darjeeling ...	3'29	243'93	14'00	9'42	2'51	14'94	18'84	11'79	9'40	6'61
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	29 Durbhunga ...	0'69	76'47	6'16	4'39	0'32	7'67	6'11	4'53	3'84	1'27
	30 Lohardugga ...	1'39	132'29	4'19	9'31	0'21	11'24	15'29	25'22	11'23	.....
	31 Bankura ...	7'28	137'77	9'63	21'23	3'00	9'16	17'62	15'93	4'99	0'27
	32 Beerbhoom ...	94'17	11,347'93	874'35	972'24	401'25	683'11	1,116'31	782'32	545'28	107'21
	33 Bogra ...	24'17	20'84	2'45	14'63	11'31	1'88	3'52	3'74	0'91	.....
	34 Maldah ...	1'36	29'13	0'59	3'96	0'23	4'75	4'00	3'20	3'21	0'59
	35 Pubna ...	0'97	30'20	0'36	4'16	.....	1'14	3'14	7'05	3'27	1'34
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	36 Julpigore ...	0'23	37'88	3'10	6'69	0'17	1'05	6'12	3'36	0'61	0'86
	37 Noakholy ...	0'30	43'25	1'02	6'13	1'06	4'03	6'38	7'64	3'06	0'44
	38 Tipperah ...	1'39	45'84	0'61	9'88	0'96	2'79	6'05	4'23	3'37	.....
	39 Purneah ...	1'64	63'21	3'60	7'79	6'41	3'33	4'36	8'24	0'23	1'20
	40 Noore ...	0'70	36'94	2'80	3'11	5'75	1'41	6'30	5'14	1'11	1'40
	41 Balasore ...	1'03	65'29	3'60	10'27	.....	7'90	6'47	11'73	7'06	0'21
	42 Singhbhum ...	2'38	33'93	1'40	1'70	.....	1'29	5'24	5'23	1'47	.....
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	43 Manbhum ...	0'65	30'41	0'21	7'64	.....	1'47	3'39	6'36	1'14	2'05
	44 Khoolna ...	0'46	67'11	3'21	17'39	5'26	0'96	4'27	6'09	3'14	0'42
	45 ...	2'20	64'00	0'65	14'78	.....	1'91	5'29	12'70	4'75	2'31
GRAND TOTAL		0'84	17'88	5'21	1'26	0'17	1'74	3'61	2'51	0'22	1'09
Total for Intermediate Jails		15'70	565'95	31'60	107'22	28'64	84'25	68'24	96'20	45'25	17'21
Total for all Jails		110'07	11,583'90	695'15	1,079'60	432'21	716'38	1,184'35	617'31	505'15	126'52
Add for Subsidiary Jails		15'04	276'27	8'68	4'91	12'02	1'84	26'33	11'16	2'79	12'06
GRAND TOTAL		125'11	12,110'17	614'83	1,084'41	444'23	717'99	1,210'68	628'47	507'94	138'58

* Employed under the Superintendent
† Mixed to Municipality to carry stone

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Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

ON WORKING DAYS.													
ON JAIL BUILDINGS.						Number of prisoners hired out to municipalities, private individuals, or departments other than the Public Works Department.	RATIO PER CENT. ON COLUMN 4 OF THOSE EMPLOYED ON WORKING DAYS AS—			Serial number.	JAILS.		
Additions and alterations.		New jails.		Manufactures.	Public works.		Prison officers.	Prison servants.	On manufactures (7 K).				
G.	H.	I.	J.										
Under Superintendent.	Under Public Works Department.	Under Superintendent.	Under Public Works Department.										
9'00	3'78	.....	.....	1,103'30	.....	9'08	8'35	68'71	1	Alipore—District and Central.
66'08	5'64	.....	.....	690'30	.....	5'43	9'14	60'67	2	Presidency { District and Central. European.
15'06	.....	.....	.....	2'40	.....	3'80	7'01	9'07		
36'08	10'05	.....	.....	315'55	.....	6'22	7'04	47'59	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
61'40	70'91	4'65	25'22	350'43	.....	5'74	9'89	36'40	4	Bhagalpore—District and Central.		
111'17	.....	.....	.....	471'08	.....	5'12	8'50	47'54	5	Buxar—Central.
59'25	.....	.....	.....	402'77	.....	5'87	12'03	52'36	6	Rajahmundry—District and Central.
377'19	180'67	.....	.....	170'60	.....	7'07	8'30	18'80	7	Dacca—District and Central.
.....	.....	.....	.....	18'33	.....	4'24	11'41	11'87	8	Hasaribagh.
4'11	.....	.....	.....	26'03	.....	6'43	9'22	15'23	9	Hurdwan.
3'27	.....	.....	.....	214'15	.....	4'03	7'84	69'29	10	Hughly.
9'99	.....	.....	.....	82'66	.....	6'23	9'30	50'78	11	Meerabad.
0'06	.....	.....	.....	44'36	.....	7'14	12'30	23'70	12	Dinapore.
0'59	0'08	.....	.....	180'45	.....	3'00	11'53	85'00	13	Gya.
15'63	.....	.....	.....	0'16	.....	6'24	18'22	8'41	14	Nudden.
0'30	.....	.....	.....	70'21	.....	7'64	6'30	56'24	15	Jessore.
.....	1'23	.....	.....	90'30	.....	6'57	9'40	36'14	16	Bangalore.
31'38	6'53	.....	.....	56'52	.....	7'09	9'16	25'77	17	Farrukpore.
21'14	5'18	5'57	.....	70'53	.....	7'03	10'24	24'70	18	Bachergunge.	
16'09	1'34	.....	0'13	40'54	.....	6'04	11'11	21'04	19	Myerabagh.	
7'52	.....	.....	.....	33'33	.....	7'35	12'10	30'00	20	Chittagong.
11'06	.....	.....	.....	33'47	.....	6'91	13'07	25'10	21	Patna.
3'07	2'24	.....	.....	64'30	.....	5'75	9'08	20'59	22	Shahabad.
35'14	.....	.....	.....	52'21	.....	6'20	9'54	31'08	23	Moradpore.
14'10	.....	.....	.....	51'00	.....	6'02	12'57	28'30	24	Karun.
6'50	.....	.....	.....	45'12	.....	5'79	13'40	24'03	25	Chumprun.
6'29	.....	.....	.....	82'19	.....	5'77	15'26	20'47	26	Manchyr.
.....	.....	.....	.....	155'74	.....	6'12	7'72	63'50	27	Cuttack.
.....	.....	.....	.....	34'40	.....	10'03	7'09	44'04	28	Darjeeling.
3'42	.....	.....	.....	48'59	.....	8'40	11'74	30'72	29	Durbinaga.
3'37	.....	.....	.....	43'40	.....	7'16	12'79	33'06	30	Lohardugga.
230'43	230'14	10'42	25'37	5,064'02	.....	10'36	9'43	44'02	Total for Central and District Jails.			
.....	1'04	5'74	6'40	4'24	31	Hankow.		
.....	8'00	16'30	13'78	20'35	32	Beerbhoom.		
.....	5'54	4'30	11'54	20'20	33	Hogra.		
1'19	4'21	3'77	16'15	11'11	34	Maldah.		
1'34	5'43	9'31	14'73	12'00	35	Pubna.		
4'00	14'75	6'04	14'50	23'17	36	Jalpaiguri.		
11'06	7'31	4'75	8'19	13'73	37	Nankholy.		
.....	13'58	3'42	13'61	25'51	38	Tipperah.		
0'50	14'36	12'00	12'57	21'07	39	Purneah.		
3'33	12'11	3'40	15'74	35'70	40	Phoom.		
.....	6'79	4'30	10'14	20'30	41	Balassore.		
0'17	11'13	0'04	7'47	19'08	42	Singhboon.		
1'54	20'12	3'95	5'43	31'48	43	Manbhoom.		
.....	5'29	9'79	11'23	20'08	44	Koyna.		
22'30	132'72	5'74	11'04	22'42	Total for Intermediate Jails.			
949'53	230'14	10'42	25'37	5,197'74	.....	10'36	9'40	45'03	Total for all Jails.			
4'06	14'10	170'54	6'54	10'26	61'78	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
953'59	244'24	10'42	25'37	5,368'28	.....	10'36	6'57	45'81	GRAND TOTAL.			

and Agent for Army Clothing at Alipore.
for constructing a drain on the Jail premises.

STATEMENT

Showing the net cash earnings of CONVICTS sentenced to labour

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	JAILS.	Average number sentenced to labour.	Average number employed on jail manufactures.	Cash balance on manufacturing account in hand on the 1st January 1888.	Cash drawn on manufacturing account during year 1888.	Total.
				Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1 Allipore—District and Central	1,006 71	1,108 20	.....	1,54,788 10	1,54,788 10
	2 Presidency—District and Central	1,108 08	694 25	.....	44,648 5	44,648 5
	3 Midnapore—District and Central	688 78	815 55	.....	21,728 0	21,728 0
	4 Bhagulpore—District and Central	900 07	884 83	.....	81,610 12	81,610 12
	5 Buxar—Central	900 80	671 08	.....	97,960 11	97,960 11
	6 Rajshahye—District and Central	770 57	402 77	.....	2,08,770 1	2,08,770 1
	7 Dacca—District and Central	928 68	170 20	288 5	12,826 0	12,826 5
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	8 Kasaribagh	154 41	18 23	.....	2,680 6	2,680 6
	9 Burdwan	170 81	26 05	.....	2,261 9	2,261 9
	10 Hooghly	206 58	214 13	.....	1,512 1	1,512 1
	11 Moorshedabad	102 75	62 06	17 5	6,228 2	6,245 7
	12 Dinagore	127 12	44 26	.....	4,071 10	4,071 10
	13 Gya	238 06	168 48	.....	2,188 13	2,188 13
	14 Nuddea	108 26	0 16	.....	825 6	825 6
JAILS HOLDING OVER 400 PRISONERS.	15 Jessore	140 45	76 21	19 8	1,988 8	1,977 12
	16 Rungpore	226 16	90 26	.....	2,291 11	2,291 11
	17 Furreedpore	218 47	56 23	.....	2,254 6	2,254 6
	18 Backergunge	265 53	70 23	.....	2,005 0	2,005 0
	19 Mymensingh	226 20	40 26	.....	1,716 7	1,716 7
	20 Chittagong	95 21	23 22	1 5	1,218 1	1,218 6
	21 Patna	122 22	33 47	.....	4,071 6	4,071 6
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	22 Shahabad	120 05	46 20	.....	3,096 10	2,096 10
	23 Mousufferpore	160 21	52 21	.....	26,228 5	26,228 5
	24 Sarun	181 72	81 60	21 0	2,748 8	2,760 8
	25 Chumparun	155 02	48 12	.....	4,483 4	4,483 4
	26 Monghyr	206 70	62 19	.....	1,540 5	1,530 5
	27 Cuttack	242 06	152 78	.....	4,728 9	4,728 9
	28 Darjeeling	76 47	34 40	.....	25,297 9	25,297 9
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	29 Durbhunga	122 20	48 20	.....	1,420 0	1,420 0
	30 Lohardugga	127 77	42 40	17 11	5,106 12	5,124 7
	Total for Central and District Jails ..	11,247 95	5,004 02	300 2	7,72,597 8	7,74,247 10
	31 Bankura	29 24	1 08	.....	294 12	294 12
	32 Beerbaom	29 12	8 20	.....	426 4	426 4
	33 Bogra	26 20	5 24	1 4	225 4	226 8
	34 Maldah	27 06	4 21	.....	240 7	240 7
	35 Pabna	48 28	5 02	0 1	260 0	260 1
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	36 Julpigoree	45 04	14 78	.....	242 5	242 5
	37 Noakholly	28 21	7 21	.....	244 7	244 7
	38 Tipperah	26 24	12 28	12 1	1,221 6	1,224 7
	39 Furreah	26 20	14 26	.....	426 8	426 8
	40 Pooree	26 02	12 11	.....	722 12	722 12
	41 Balasore	22 41	8 29	.....	244 2	244 2
	42 Singhbhoom	27 11	11 24	.....	1,227 10	1,227 12
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	43 Manbhoom	24 20	20 12	.....	1,222 14	1,222 14
	44 Khoolna	17 28	8 20	.....	222 12	222 12
	Total for Intermediate Jails ..	226 28	122 72	14 6	24,722 12	24,722 2
	Total for all Jails ..	11,265 00	5,126 72	314 8	7,97,319 0	7,98,969 12
	Pay of the Superintendent of Jail Manufactures and the Depot Establishment.	.....	.....	.....	12,220 7	12,220 7
	Add for Subsidiary Jails ..	226 27	270 04	0 0	10,427 12	20,222 12
	GRAND TOTAL ..	11,265 00	5,126 72	314 8	8,09,966 7	8,09,966 12

No. XIII—(FINANCIAL).

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Paid into Treasury on manufacturing account.	Cash balances in hand on manufacturing account on the 31st December 1888.	Total.	Cash earnings, being total of column 10 less total of column 7.	Average earnings per head calculated on column 2.	Average earnings per head calculated on column 4.	JAIL.
Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Serial number.
2,88,974 0	.....	2,88,974 0	74,208 6	46 8	67 4	1 Alipore—District and Central.
1,86,997 14	.....	1,86,997 14	1,12,354 9	96 7	102 2	2 Presidency—District and Central.
86,967 10	.....	86,967 10	12,284 10	20 0	42 2	3 Midnapore—District and Central.
1,86,906 0	.....	1,86,906 0	48,194 4	46 2	136 9	4 Bhagalpore—District and Central.
1,36,115 6	.....	1,36,115 6	27,183 11	27 6	67 10	5 Buxar—Central.
1,62,237 1	.....	1,62,237 1	(—41,833 0)	.....	.....	6 Rajshahye—District and Central.
15,428 13	14 4	15,443 1	2,623 12	2 14	15 6	7 Dacca—District and Central.
5,194 18	96 12	5,291 12	1,608 8	10 6	89 0	8 Hazaribagh.
2,425 2	.....	2,425 2	673 10	2 6	22 1	9 Burdwan.
10,120 7	.....	10,120 7	2,616 6	27 14	40 4	10 Hooghly.
2,606 12	12 12	2,619 8	2,174 1	12 8	26 2	11 Mowrahadabad.
2,063 7	.....	2,063 7	891 12	5 5	22 9	12 Dinapore.
2,297 5	.....	2,297 5	108 8	0 2	6 9	13 Gya.
2,065 8	.....	2,065 8	1,229 2	11 4	126 9	14 Nuddea.
4,497 4	.....	4,497 4	2,519 7	17 15	23 2	15 Jessore.
4,246 7	.....	4,246 7	1,260 12	8 10	21 12	16 Rungpore.
5,127 4	.....	5,127 4	2,926 14	12 7	52 5	17 Furruckpore.
5,640 16	.....	5,640 16	2,226 15	7 12	21 8	18 Backergunge.
2,796 7	.....	2,796 7	2,082 0	9 1	41 10	19 Mymensingh.
4,740 12	.....	4,740 12	2,321 9	27 1	106 11	20 Chittagong.
6,751 12	.....	6,751 12	1,080 7	12 10	50 15	21 Patna.
5,221 4	.....	5,221 4	1,524 10	11 11	22 6	22 Shahabad.
21,740 2	.....	21,740 2	(—6,546 2)	.....	.....	23 Mozufferpore.
2,540 2	10 6	2,540 8	781 0	4 5	15 0	24 Sarun.
2,745 2	.....	2,745 2	1,226 12	8 1	27 12	25 Chumbarun.
2,006 2	.....	2,006 2	538 12	2 0	6 9	26 Monghyr.
6,221 2	.....	6,221 2	1,592 10	6 8	10 2	27 Cuttack.
27,475 0	.....	27,475 0	2,177 7	26 10	64 1	28 Darjeeling.
1,961 12	.....	1,961 12	822 12	2 15	10 11	29 Durbhunga.
6,420 0	5 12	6,444 12	1,220 5	10 5	20 11	30 Lohardugga.
10,42,945 2	120 14	10,42,945 1	2,10,812 10	27 14	62 9	... Total for Central and District Jails.
722 15	.....	722 15	429 2	10 12	214 9	31 Bankoora.
746 12	.....	746 12	210 2	10 11	24 8	32 Beerbhoom.
961 9	9 14	962 7	426 15	10 6	71 0	33 Bogra.
1,446 0	.....	1,446 0	205 9	26 12	226 6	34 Maldah.
1,082 7	1 2	1,082 10	222 9	12 6	96 12	35 Patna.
829 4	.....	829 4	202 12	5 12	17 12	36 Julpigoree.
1,941 2	.....	1,941 2	297 1	12 2	99 9	37 Noakholly.
2,792 2	10 0	2,792 2	1,524 1	47 10	122 11	38 Tipperah.
1,522 4	.....	1,522 4	1,026 12	16 14	78 4	39 Furruckh.
1,065 12	.....	1,065 12	222 1	9 12	27 12	40 Pooree.
1,116 6	.....	1,116 6	272 2	17 5	63 9	41 Balasore.
2,097 2	.....	2,097 2	529 6	10 0	51 12	42 Singbhoom.
1,926 12	.....	1,926 12	422 14	6 10	21 12	43 Masbhoom.
644 12	.....	644 12	78 0	4 5	15 10	44 Khoudina.
12,226 2	12 1	12,226 4	6,426 2	14 6	62 7	... Total for Intermediate Jails.
10,24,000 0	121 12	10,24,221 2	2,21,212 12	.....	.....	... Total for all Jails.
	Deduct loss, &c.		61,075 10*			... Pay of the Superintendent of Jail Manufactures and the Depot Establishment.
	Net		2,64,286 2	22 2	20 12	
12,221 12	12 7	12,222 6	2,626 10	9 10	15 9	... Add for Subsidiary Jails.
10,75,222 6	207 6	10,75,222 11	2,64,226 12	21 14	69 12	... GRAND TOTAL.

* Including pay of the Superintendent of Jail Manufactures and the Depot Establishment 12,226 7
 Total loss represented by the sign (—) in column 11 46,115 2
 Total 61,075 10

STATEMENT No. XIV—(FINANCIAL).

Showing the net cost of PRISONERS in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Serial number.	JAILS.	Total cost of maintenance (column 3 of statement No. XI).	Average cost of maintenance per head (column 4 of statement No. XI).	Total cash earnings (column 11 of statement No. XIII).	Average cash earnings per head of average strength.	Net cost to Government (column 8 minus column 5).	Average net cost per head of average strength (column 8 minus column 4).	Serial number.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1 Allpore—District and Central ...	1,05,441 0	63 5	74,306 6	46 3	30,235 10	17 8	1
	2 Presidency—District and Central ...	98,181 0	78 13	1,13,354 9	98 7	(—15,173 9)	(—16 10)	2
	3 Midnapore—District and Central ...	43,927 0	63 13	12,334 10	19 6	30,593 6	64 7	3
	4 Bhagalpore—District and Central ...	69,675 0	63 5	45,196 4	64 7	24,479 12	33 14	4
	5 Buxar—Central ...	64,834 0	65 3	27,153 11	27 5	37,681 5	37 14	5
	6 Rajshahy—District and Central ...	30,315 0	60 15	(—41,533 0)	.....	30,315 0	60 15	6
	7 Dacca—District and Central ...	61,640 0	65 0	2,633 12	3 13	60,006 4	63 4	7
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	8 Hazaribagh ...	15,265 0	85 1	1,608 6	9 0	13,656 10	76 1	8
	9 Burdwan ...	13,086 0	71 2	573 10	3 3	12,513 6	66 0	9
	10 Hooghly ...	16,738 0	67 3	8,618 6	26 4	10,119 10	36 13	10
	11 Moorshedabad ...	13,734 0	78 10	2,174 1	12 7	11,560 13	66 3	11
	12 Dinapore ...	16,803 0	75 6	991 13	4 5	15,812 3	69 1	12
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	13 Gya ...	21,610 0	86 11	108 8	0 5	21,501 8	86 6	13
	14 Nuddea ...	11,706 0	97 3	1,329 2	10 4	10,376 14	73 14	14
	15 Jessore ...	11,576 0	75 7	2,519 7	15 7	9,056 9	60 0	15
	16 Rangpore ...	16,006 0	64 12	1,956 12	7 10	14,049 6	66 12	16
	17 Furruckpore ...	16,101 0	62 10	2,928 14	11 6	12,172 2	61 4	17
	18 Backergunge ...	17,570 0	54 11	2,335 15	6 15	15,234 1	47 12	18
	19 Mymensingh ...	17,609 0	63 13	2,093 0	7 12	15,516 0	63 0	19
	20 Chittagong ...	11,301 0	90 13	3,321 9	30 4	7,979 7	63 7	20
	21 Patna ...	12,463 0	70 13	1,680 7	10 1	10,782 9	70 11	21
	22 Shahabad ...	10,663 0	66 1	1,334 10	9 7	9,329 6	64 12	22
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	23 Mouafferpore ...	12,901 0	70 12	(—5,555 3)	.....	12,901 0	70 12	23
	24 Saran ...	12,086 0	64 4	781 0	3 12	11,305 0	60 7	24
	25 Chumpanan ...	12,163 0	74 8	1,326 15	7 3	10,836 1	64 2	25
	26 Monghyr ...	15,023 0	66 4	536 13	1 11	14,486 3	66 9	26
	27 Outback ...	13,064 0	54 5	1,592 10	8 11	11,471 6	66 9	27
	28 Darjeeling ...	15,447 0	123 8	2,177 7	25 14	13,269 9	107 10	28
	29 Durrhunja ...	11,328 0	79 1	823 12	3 10	10,504 4	75 7	29
	30 Lohardugga ...	13,170 0	79 7	1,320 5	7 12	11,849 11	71 0	30
	Total for Central and District Jails ...	8,08,324 0	66 15	2,16,815 10	26 4	5,91,509 15	60 11	
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	31 Bankura ...	4,941 0	107 13	420 2	9 5	4,521 16	96 7	31
	32 Beerbhoom ...	5,465 0	128 1	310 8	7 9	5,154 6	124 0	32
	33 Bogra ...	4,904 0	126 0	435 15	10 10	4,468 5	115 6	33
	34 Malda ...	4,736 0	92 14	995 9	17 12	3,740 7	75 2	34
	35 Palna ...	5,715 0	82 12	533 9	7 11	5,181 7	75 4	35
	36 Jalpore ...	6,684 0	97 12	306 12	3 10	6,378 3	64 5	36
	37 Mookholly ...	5,460 0	78 10	897 1	10 1	4,563 15	68 9	37
	38 Tipperah ...	5,790 0	108 12	1,888 1	51 9	3,901 12	88 6	38
	39 Purneah ...	8,064 0	71 16	1,005 12	13 8	7,059 4	68 9	39
	40 Pooree ...	4,948 0	100 12	322 1	7 6	4,626 15	100 9	40
	41 Balasore ...	4,980 0	96 12	573 8	11 7	4,407 11	37 6	41
	42 Singhbhoon ...	6,686 0	82 7	549 6	7 11	6,136 10	74 12	42
	43 Maubhoon ...	7,313 0	85 12	423 14	5 0	6,889 3	80 13	43
	44 Khoolna ...	5,610 0	161 7	78 0	2 3	5,532 0	160 4	44
	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	75,325 0	95 0	1,495 2	10 7	69,830 14	85 9	
	Total for all Jails ...	8,83,649 0	66 12	2,28,315 12				
Deduct pay of the Superintendent of Jail Manufactures and the Depot establishment and total loss.		.....	.....	61,075 10*	26 5	6,92,240 10	46 6	
Nett				2,67,240 2				
Add for Subsidiary Jails ...		24,200 0	114 10	2,000 10	3 3	24,195 6	113 5	
GRAND TOTAL ...		9,07,849 0	71 12	2,69,240 12	10 7	7,15,609 6	68 5	

* Including the pay of the Superintendent of Jail Manufactures and the Depot establishment ...
Total loss as per column 11 of statement No. XIII ...

Rs. A.
12,000 7
68,128 3
Total ... 61,075 10

PART C.



VITAL AND UNDER-TRIAL STATEMENTS.

STATEMENT

Showing the sickness and mortality among the PRISONERS OF ALL

Serial number.	JAILS.	1			2			3			4			5			6			7			8		
		Number of persons that can be accommodated in the parts of the jails devoted to convicts, under-trials and civil prisoners, respectively, but exclusive of hospital and observation cells.			Average daily strength.			Maximum population on any one day.			Number admitted into hospital.			Daily average number of sick.			Number of deaths in and out of hospital.								
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.			
1	Alipore—District and Central.	Convicted ... 1,557	40	1,597	1,547.57	50.94	1,578.51	1,514	51	1,565	1,195	65	1,260	78.07	1.20	79.27	54	1	55	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 25	25	50	27.51	1.18	28.69	48	1	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 30	30	60	18.25	0.51	18.76	36	...	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Presidency—District and Central.	Convicted ... 1,123	3	1,126	1,135.27	0.51	1,155.48	1,347	5	1,352	1,005	...	1,005	55.25	...	55.25	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 54	54	108	12.25	0.51	12.76	25	...	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 30	30	60	18.25	...	18.25	36	...	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Ditto—European.	Convicted ... 60	1	61	29.07	...	29.07	60	...	60	79	...	79	2.00	...	2.00	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 8	8	16	1.94	...	1.94	8	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 8	8	16	1.94	...	1.94	8	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore—District and Central.	Convicted ... 1,079	31	1,110	1,054.54	5.50	1,079.13	771	14	785	894	6	900	47.51	0.31	47.82	30	...	30	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 31	31	62	13.29	0.50	13.79	31	...	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 10	10	20	1.06	...	1.06	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Bhagalpore—District and Central.	Convicted ... 1,194	64	1,258	1,151.15	5.25	1,156.40	1,119	55	1,174	897	11	908	49.50	0.25	49.75	18	1	19	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 31	31	62	13.29	0.50	13.79	31	...	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 10	10	20	1.06	...	1.06	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Buxar—Central.	Convicted ... 985	...	985	904.36	...	904.36	1,055	...	1,055	1,115	...	1,115	23.25	...	23.25	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Rajshahye—District and Central.	Convicted ... 775	55	830	735.04	27.15	754.23	805	25	830	1,445	45	1,490	5.25	...	5.25	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 41	41	82	14.49	1.05	15.54	45	...	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 14	14	28	1.25	...	1.25	14	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Dacca—District and Central.	Convicted ... 929	15	944	921.05	9.15	930.20	1,057	14	1,071	1,125	5	1,130	34.50	0.25	34.75	34	...	34	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 31	31	62	13.29	0.50	13.79	31	...	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 10	10	20	1.06	...	1.06	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Hawaribagh...	Convicted ... 804	40	844	146.51	10.41	156.92	195	17	212	145	35	180	5.15	1.01	6.16	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 31	31	62	13.29	0.50	13.79	31	...	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 10	10	20	1.06	...	1.06	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Burdwan ...	Convicted ... 195	25	220	161.39	14.15	175.54	205	20	225	155	30	185	7.15	1.70	8.85	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 32	32	64	7.81	0.15	7.96	18	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 6	6	12	0.75	...	0.75	6	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Hooghly ...	Convicted ... 794	10	804	805.45	7.01	812.46	491	10	501	595	15	610	12.75	0.45	13.20	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 15	15	30	8.47	0.74	9.21	30	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 14	14	28	5.50	0.54	6.04	27	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Mooreabad ...	Convicted ... 380	60	440	157.51	10.15	167.66	230	15	245	295	7	302	9.30	0.54	9.84	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 15	15	30	4.50	0.54	5.04	14	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 11	11	22	1.25	...	1.25	11	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Dinapore ...	Convicted ... 357	25	382	151.50	5.55	157.05	225	10	235	285	15	300	5.25	0.15	5.40	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 40	40	80	27.45	1.01	28.46	30	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 9	9	18	3.41	...	3.41	9	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	Gya ...	Convicted ... 380	15	395	325.55	1.50	327.05	407	25	432	415	55	470	15.75	1.54	17.29	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 25	25	50	34.15	1.50	35.65	45	...	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 6	6	12	5.55	...	5.55	11	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Nuddea ...	Convicted ... 195	17	212	104.70	7.25	111.95	154	15	169	155	6	161	4.25	0.20	4.45	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 10	10	20	7.95	0.45	8.40	15	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 3	3	6	0.30	...	0.30	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Jessore ...	Convicted ... 245	15	260	125.44	4.17	129.61	205	7	212	155	15	170	5.25	0.25	5.50	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 35	35	70	14.50	0.50	15.00	41	...	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 7	7	14	1.15	...	1.15	7	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Bungpore ...	Convicted ... 355	15	370	325.55	5.14	330.69	397	14	411	405	20	425	11.25	0.57	11.82	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 25	25	50	11.57	0.54	12.11	30	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 10	10	20	4.71	...	4.71	15	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18	Farrukpore ...	Convicted ... 320	5	325	315.71	5.25	320.96	314	5	319	405	5	410	11.25	0.25	11.50	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 30	30	60	25.55	0.50	26.05	35	...	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 10	10	20	1.50	...	1.50	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Backergunge ...	Convicted ... 244	15	259	225.54	4.25	229.79	241	5	246	255	15	270	10.54	0.25	10.79	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 34	34	68	15.14	1.25	16.39	37	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 60	60	120	5.74	0.50	6.24	15	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Mymensingh ...	Convicted ... 283	14	297	250.15	5.25	255.40	282	15	297	285	20	305	9.25	0.25	9.50	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 30	30	60	25.55	1.25	26.80	37	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 6	6	12	4.75	...	4.75	17	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Chittagong ...	Convicted ... 311	13	324	255.25	5.74	261.00	155	4	159	175	15	190	10.25	0.25	10.50	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Under-trial ... 25	25	50	15.25	0.50	15.75	35	...	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Civil ... 3	3	6	5.75	...	5.75	9	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Patna ...	Convicted ... 325	25	350	325.25	5.25	330.50	325	10	335	325	15	340	10.25	0.25	10.50			
		Under-trial ... 25	25	50	25.55	1.25	26.80	37	...	37			
		Civil ... 4																							

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Showing the sickness and mortality among the PRISONERS OF ALL

Serial number.	JAILS.	Number of persons that have been received in the jails during the year ended 31st March 1906.			Average daily strength.			Maximum population on any one day.			Number admitted into hospital.			Daily average number of sick.			Number of deaths in and out of hospital.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
28	Darjeeling	78	5	83	78.37	5.50	77.77	88	10	98	210	15	1	225	5.25	0.20	5.45	4	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29	Durbhanga	207	13	220	123.54	7.38	130.92	178	11	189	198	8	1	206	5.45	0.45	5.90	1	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Lohardugga	119	9	128	128.46	8.77	137.23	161	9	170	214	4	8	222	6.10	0.35	6.45	1	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total for Central and District Jails.	14,510	684	15,194	11,469.89	599.51	11,469.40	13,361	474	13,835	15,700	440	1	16,240	5.25	0.20	5.45	4	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Bankpoora mediate.	208	26	234	87.79	2.30	40.09	59	4	63	78	3	8	86	1.40	0.08	1.48	1	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
32	Barrbhoom	281	18	299	24.77	2.17	26.94	61	4	65	22	1	23	23	0.45	0.01	0.46	2	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Bogra	139	10	149	30.30	1.89	28.19	44	7	51	14	4	18	18	0.25	0.10	0.35	1	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Maldah	40	7	47	27.22	0.95	28.17	28	5	33	123	1	124	124	3.07	0.03	3.10	6	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Pubna	120	10	130	41.25	2.45	43.70	77	5	82	41	1	42	42	1.54	0.03	1.57	4	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Julpigore	118	9	127	42.01	2.55	44.56	78	7	85	9	1	10	10	0.29	0.03	0.32	2	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Noakholly	80	8	88	22.25	0.44	22.69	78	3	81	71	2	73	73	0.80	0.03	0.83	...	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
38	Tippurah	90	16	106	20.22	1.16	21.38	76	4	80	30	1	31	31	0.29	0.03	0.32	...	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Purneah	225	8	233	64.21	2.71	66.92	92	5	97	26	6	32	32	1.10	0.20	1.30	5	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Poorce	50	5	55	25.20	2.47	27.67	40	4	44	61	3	64	64	1.12	0.16	1.28	...	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
41	Balsore	118	17	135	31.75	2.35	34.10	83	3	86	16	3	19	19	0.45	0.12	0.57	1	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Singbhoom	78	10	88	24.14	2.79	26.93	77	5	82	12	...	12	12	0.40	...	0.40	10	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Manbhoom	108	10	118	22.20	2.07	24.27	118	3	121	30	1	31	31	0.21	0.01	0.22	...	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Khoolna	54	6	60	17.19	2.08	19.27	25	4	29	31	3	34	34	1.25	0.16	1.41	1	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total for Inter-mediate Jails.	1,444	170	1,614	879.66	22.91	611.56	646	71	717	207	37	244	244	1.25	0.20	1.45	25	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total for all Jails.	16,154	684	16,838	11,729.25	581.53	12,310.78	14,200	545	14,745	16,000	477	1	16,477	5.25	0.20	5.45	4	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Add for Sub-study Jails.	901	229	1,130	218.00	4.21	222.21	1,222	122	1,344	470	32	502	502	1.15	0.25	1.40	17	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	GRAND TOTAL	17,115	1,005	18,120	12,947.25	585.74	13,533.00	15,421	667	16,088	17,100	509	1	17,609	5.25	0.20	5.45	4	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total	18,004	1,187	19,191	13,966.50	590.21	14,556.71	16,087	789	16,876	17,610	541	1	18,151	5.25	0.20	5.45	4	...
	... { Convicted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Under-trial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	... { Civil

Including two deaths occurred in the
jails and one in the hospital.

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STATEMENT

Showing the Admissions and Deaths from the Chief Diseases among the

1		2		3												
	Serial number.	JAILS.	A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.		G.	
			Small-pox.		Intermittent fever.		Remittent and continued fever.		Other fevers.		Cholera.		Scrofula and phthisis pulmonalis.		Anæmia and general debility.	
			A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central	...	...	607	...	24	2	8	5	27	15	20	6	110	2
		Presidency { District and Central	...	...	740	2	21	5	...	...	12	6	22	5	87	...
		European	...	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	3	Midnapore—District and Central	...	...	306	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	9	7	55	2
	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central	...	...	277	1	8	...	...	...	1	1	8	4	69	5
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	5	Buxar—Central	...	...	759	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	19	...
	6	Rajshahye—District and Central	...	...	745	15	7	8	4	3	71	51	10	8	22	...
	7	Dacca—District and Central	...	...	377	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	15	2
	8	Hazariabagh	...	...	68	1	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...
	9	Burdwan	...	...	85	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	6	1	8	...
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	10	Hoochly	...	...	147	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	...
	11	Moorsheadabad	...	...	154	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	11	...
	12	Dinapore	...	...	187	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	7	6	10	1
	13	Gya	...	...	140	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2
	14	Nudda	...	...	56	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...
JAILS HOLDING OVER 100 PRISONERS.	15	Jessore	...	...	45	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	6	...
	16	Kungpore	...	...	182	...	...	...	1	1	25	22	2	...	12	...
	17	Furzedpore	...	...	98	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	4	1
	18	Beckergunge	...	...	82	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	2
	19	Mymensingh	...	...	40	...	9	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	10	2
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	20	Chittagong	...	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	...
	21	Patna	...	...	94	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	22	Bahabad	...	...	57	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...
	23	Mosufforpore	...	...	87	...	...	...	...	...	16	11	1	...	9	...
	24	Sarun	...	...	30	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	6	2	8	...
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 500 PRISONERS.	25	Chumparun	...	...	171	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...
	26	Monghyr	...	...	23	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	11	1
	27	Cuttack	...	...	120	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...
	28	Darjeeling	...	...	60	...	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	1
	29	Durbhanga	...	...	12	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	30	Lohardugga	...	...	60	...	2	2	...	...	13	10	...	...	11	6
		Total for Central and District Jails	...	...	2,222	22	170	21	14	10	170	119	115	46	540	22
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	31	Bankura	...	...	40	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...
	32	Boorhoom	...	...	10	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	33	Hogra	...	...	7	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	34	Maldah	...	...	76	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	35	Pubna	...	...	12	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	36	Jalpigoree	...	...	1	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	37	Noakholly	...	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	38	Tipperah	...	...	41	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	39	Purneah	...	...	51	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1
	40	Poorce	...	...	26	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	41	Balsore	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...
	42	Singhbhum	...	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	1	...
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	43	Manbhoom	...	...	12	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	44	Khoolna	...	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
		Total for Intermediate Jails	...	...	271	1	12	4	...	...	6	2	2	1	12	1
		Total for all Jails	...	...	2,493	23	182	25	14	10	176	121	117	47	552	23
		Add for Subsidiary Jails	...	...	152	...	60	6	...	...	6	4	2	...	10	2
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	2,645	23	242	31	14	10	182	125	119	49	562	25

* Of these there were 12 admissions and 9 deaths from
† Of these there were 120 admissions and 2 deaths from

No. XVI—(VITAL).

CONVICTS in the Jail and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

H.		I.		J.		K.		RATIO OF ADMISSIONS AND DEATHS PER HUNDRED OF AVERAGE STRENGTH FROM—								Serial number.	JAILS.						
Respiratory diseases.		Dysentery and diarrhoea.		Jaundice.		Ulcers and boils.		Intermittent fever.		Remittent and continued fever.		Cholera.		Dysentery and diarrhoea.									
A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.	A.	D.								
103	10	388	5	6	...	108	...	384'8	...	18'3	1'2	17'1	9'5	180'8	8'1	1	Alipore—District and Central.						
80	6	304	14	3	...	96	...	648'1	1'7	38'8	6'3	10'3	5'1	314'9	12'1	2	Presidency { District and Central. European.						
2	...	23	...	...	...	8	...	923'7	...	...	...	...	...	791'1	...	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
20	1	342	17	2	...	63	...	453'1	1'4	1'4	...	...	...	359'3	35'3	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.			
46	3	144	2	...	...	16	...	379'3	1'0	8'0	...	1'0	1'0	145'3	8'0	5	Buxar—Central.				
23	3	136	6	2	...	31	...	763'2	...	...	...	...	...	136'7	4'0	6	Rajshahye—District and Central.	
30	8	372	16	1	...	46	...	988'1	19'3	9'2	6'6	94'1	6'6	60'3	31'3	7	Dacca—District and Central.						
35	9	443	10	4	...	27	...	603'0	...	1'0	...	...	...	474'8	10'7	8	Hazratnagar.			
6	...	37	3	...	...	8	...	638'3	6'3	60'0	...	...	...	233'3	19'0	9	Burdwan.	
3	1	55	2	...	...	2	...	684'3	...	...	...	5'7	5'7	350'6	17'1	10	Hooghly.	
6	...	116	2	...	...	11	...	663'9	...	9'3	6'3	...	...	348'6	9'3	11	Moushedabad.		
9	1	60	2	...	...	12	...	795'7	...	5'9	...	11'9	5'9	611'2	11'9	12	Dinapore.				
4	...	181	4	2	...	1	...	738'3	...	15'9	5'3	...	...	983'6	31'3	13	Gya.				
4	1	263	24	...	...	...	...	627'3	2'3	2'3	...	...	...	731'3	9'3	14	Nadua.
8	1	32	...	...	...	6	...	501'4	...	8'9	...	...	...	396'3	...	15	Jessore.
5	...	30	3	...	...	7	...	312'4	...	79'9	...	...	...	310'7	21'7	16	Rangpore.	
15	2	234	12	...	...	3	...	789'9	...	...	...	181'6	90'3	1,015'6	38'4	17	Farrakpore.	
16	...	167	1	2	...	5	...	648'1	...	38'8	...	...	...	763'7	6'3	18	Bachergunge.			
27	1	307	6	...	...	26	...	213'1	...	10'3	8'4	...	...	1,044'3	305'3	19	Mymensingh.		
16	6	167	3	...	...	...	...	267'3	...	38'1	8'4	...	...	606'0	12'7	20	Chittagong.
6	1	72	1	...	...	3	...	688'1	...	...	...	10'0	10'0	738'3	10'0	21	Patna.	
11	2	63	2	1	...	6	...	681'3	...	21'7	...	...	...	448'9	14'3	22	Bahadur.			
8	1	73	1	...	...	4	...	612'0	...	21'7	...	...	...	521'6	7'3	23	Monsieffpore.	
9	...	104	...	1	...	5	...	534'7	...	...	...	63'7	63'6	612'4	...	24	Baran.			
9	1	77	2	...	...	3	...	189'6	...	10'4	...	...	...	610'3	10'6	25	Chumpanan.	
4	...	98	2	...	...	5	...	1,006'3	...	6'3	...	...	...	623'8	12'7	26	Monghyr.	
7	2	60	3	1	...	2	...	68'4	8'0	5'6	...	...	...	145'0	10'4	27	Cuttack.			
30	3	100	1	...	...	3	...	536'4	...	120'6	...	...	...	436'3	4'0	28	Darjeeling.	
14	...	86	1	...	...	6	...	771'3	...	77'1	12'3	...	...	698'6	12'3	29	Durbhanga.		
2	...	74	1	...	...	8	...	91'2	...	7'6	...	...	...	548'0	7'6	30	Lohardugga.	
7	...	84	6	...	...	4	...	441'7	...	22'0	14'7	96'7	72'3	618'4	64'1	31	Total for Central and District Jails.				
613	24	4,476	168	23	...	680	...	511'3	1'9	14'5	1'3	14'8	10'6	391'1	14'2								
6	1	5	...	...	...	1	...	1,222'2	...	60'3	...	...	...	134'7	...	32	Bankura.
3	1	4	...	...	...	1	...	334'2	...	32'4	38'4	...	...	129'7	...	33	Bowbhoon.	
1	...	7	1	...	...	...	...	340'3	...	38'4	38'4	...	...	244'3	36'4	34	Bogra.
2	...	29	6	...	...	1	...	1,049'3	...	31'9	...	31'9	26'0	753'3	168'9	35	Maidah.				
4	1	10	1	...	...	...	...	270'6	...	23'3	32'3	...	...	224'3	21'3	36	Patna.
1	...	6	1	...	...	...	...	39'3	...	41'1	30'5	...	...	62'3	30'3	37	Julpigore.
2	...	26	...	...	...	1	...	467'6	...	...	...	...	...	404'1	...	38	Neshbolly.
6	...	94	...	...	...	3	...	908'0	...	...	...	24'3	...	644'3	...	39	Tipperah.
3	...	25	6	...	...	3	...	708'1	14'9	...	...	...	...	573'6	63'7	40	Purneah.
9	...	19	...	...	...	3	...	779'3	...	35'6	...	...	...	524'4	...	41	Poorce.
...	...	8	...	...	...	2	...	173'9	...	...	...	30'3	30'3	144'0	...	42	Balasore.
0	1	73	9	...	...	1	...	488'1	...	...	...	35'9	14'9	1,224'7	126'7	43	Singbhoon.	
...	...	12	3	...	...	...	...	234'6	...	14'7	...	...	...	191'1	30'6	44	Manbhoon.
...	...	88	1	...	...	1	...	1,207'3	...	...	...	...	...	2,373'1	61'3	45	Khoolna.
20	4	221	26	...	...	17	...	806'4	1'3	12'6	6'5	9'2	4'9	500'4	34'9	Total for Intermediate Jails.					
683	28	4,795	195	22	...	697	...	516'3	1'9	15'1	3'0	14'3	10'1	397'0	15'2	Total for all Jails.							
20	1	140	7	1	...	20	...	478'4	...	127'4	12'2	12'3	12'2	487'6	21'2	Add for Subsidiary Jails.							
683	29	4,935	202	23	...	717	...	513'3	1'9	15'3	3'2	14'7	10'2	397'6	15'6	GRAND TOTAL.							

carious-epidemic fever, and one admission and one death from typho-malarious fever, epidemic diarrhoea.

STATEMENT

Showing the Mortality, according to Age, among the CONVICTS

	1	2	3						4					
			UNDER 15 YEARS.						16 TO 40.					
			Average number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.		Average number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	Serial number.	JAILS.												
	1	Alipore—District and Central	8'35	.....	...	...	.....	.....	975'16	97'40	23	1	23'9	23'9
	2	Presidency { District and Central.. European	2'03	.....	...	...	.....	.....	790'08	0'33	23	...	41'7	.....
	3	Midnapore—District and Central	0'41	.....	...	...	.....	.....	515'75	7'73	16	...	26'3	.....
	4	Bhagalpore—District and Central	3'16	0'33	...	...	.....	.....	740'16	23'50	10	1	13'3	45'5
	5	Buxar—Central	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	761'16	.....	6	...	7'3	.....
	6	Rajahmundry—District and Central	3'17	1'13	...	...	.....	.....	591'25	20'47	63	6	100'9	200'2
	7	Dacca—District and Central	0'20	.....	...	...	.....	.....	673'56	7'33	13	...	23'2	.....
	8	Hassarihigh	0'87	.....	...	...	.....	.....	79'33	8'30	3	...	37'3	.....
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	9	Hurdwan	0'42	.....	...	...	.....	.....	116'75	10'08	6	...	43'1	.....
	10	Houghly	0'42	.....	...	...	.....	.....	175'75	4'73	1	1	6'6	210'5
	11	Mooredabad	0'42	0'16	...	...	.....	.....	110'83	8'42	2	...	18'0	.....
	12	Dinapore	0'92	0'16	...	...	.....	.....	127'08	4'75	10	...	79'3	.....
	13	Gya	1'92	0'25	...	...	.....	.....	235'31	12'50	17	1	72'2	80'0
	14	Nuddea	0'06	.....	...	...	.....	.....	54'83	3'00	...	...	.....	.....
	15	Jessore	0'08	.....	...	...	.....	.....	64'07	2'41	1	...	11'3	.....
	16	Rungpore	0'24	0'07	...	...	.....	.....	106'00	0'08	30	2	180'0	403'4
	17	Furruckpore	1'08	.....	...	...	.....	.....	144'58	2'93	3	...	30'1	.....
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	18	Backergunge	0'06	0'17	1	...	12,500'0	.....	107'25	3'67	6	...	30'4	.....
	19	Mymensingh	0'25	.....	...	...	.....	.....	174'42	4'25	6	1	34'2	225'2
	20	Chittagong	0'67	.....	...	...	.....	.....	62'58	1'63	2	...	31'9	.....
	21	Patna	0'42	.....	...	...	.....	.....	69'42	4'75	4	...	55'4	.....
	22	Shahabad	0'36	.....	...	...	.....	.....	103'06	9'63	1	...	9'6	.....
	23	Muzaffarpore	1'00	...	...	...	.....	.....	104'75	11'41	5	2	44'9	167'9
	24	Baran	0'92	0'00	...	...	.....	.....	100'25	8'35	2	...	29'9	.....
	25	Champuram	0'26	.....	...	...	.....	.....	95'17	9'06	1	...	10'5	.....
	26	Monghyr	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	191'42	7'41	3	...	15'6	.....
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	27	Cuttack	6'01	0'06	...	...	.....	.....	176'75	7'33	2	...	11'3	.....
	28	Darjeeling	0'33	.....	...	...	.....	.....	60'42	5'14	2	...	30'1	.....
	29	Durbhanga	0'25	0'25	...	...	.....	.....	92'50	6'41	1	...	10'5	.....
	30	Lohardugga	0'06	0'08	...	...	.....	.....	84'50	3'06	16	1	116'3	236'4
		Total for Central and District Jails	33'16	4'47	1	...	31'9	.....	7,607'38	234'03	229	17	87'3	73'6
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	31	Bankura	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	18'83	0'17	...	...	.....	.....
	32	Barrbhoom	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	16'09	2'16	1	...	63'1	.....
	33	Hogra	0'16	.....	...	...	.....	.....	20'42	1'00	...	1	.....	1,000'0
	34	Maldah	0'23	.....	...	...	.....	.....	25'42	1'00	6	1	126'3	1,000'0
	35	Pubna	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	31'50	2'08	2	...	63'4	.....
	36	Jalpigoree	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	25'08	1'00	...	...	.....	.....
	37	Noakholly	0'20	.....	...	...	.....	.....	35'08	0'30	...	...	.....	.....
	38	Tippurah	0'25	.....	...	...	.....	.....	32'42	0'76	...	...	.....	.....
	39	Purneah	.....	0'06	...	...	.....	.....	40'08	1'58	2	1	46'2	626'9
	40	Poorce	0'59	.....	...	...	.....	.....	27'16	1'02	...	...	.....	.....
	41	Balaore	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	23'73	2'00	1	...	47'1	.....
	42	Singbhoom	0'25	.....	...	...	.....	.....	32'50	1'08	2	...	55'3	.....
	43	Manbhoom	0'26	0'09	...	...	.....	.....	40'28	4'23	...	...	.....	.....
	44	Kheolna	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	15'28	2'00	...	...	.....	.....
		Total for Intermediate Jails	3'28	0'17	...	...	.....	.....	600'00	24'24	15	2	31'7	230'7
		Total for all Jails	36'44	4'64	1	...	32'9	.....	8,207'38	258'27	244	19	87'3	77'6
		Add for Subsidiary Jails	1'02	0'23	1	...	55'9	.....	301'20	7'17	10	...	25'1	.....
		GRAND TOTAL	37'46	4'87	2	...	32'9	.....	8,508'58	265'44	254	19	87'3	73'6

* Including one prisoner
† Same date

No. XVII—(VITAL).

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

40 TO 60.						OVER 60.						TOTAL.						Serial number.	JAILS.
Average number.			Deaths.			Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.			Average number.			Deaths.			Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.				
M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.		
M.			P.			M.			P.			M.			P.				
473'85	3'08	18	...	37'9	...	34'91	...	3	...	33'7	...	1,584'23	30'58	84	1	36'1	32'7	1	Alipore—District & Central.
383'50	...	3	...	9'3	...	36'78	...	2	...	31'6	...	1,183'81	0'33	38	...	32'8	...	2	Presidency { District & Central. European.
8'18	...	...	...	...	...	1'60	...	...	...	...	...	28'58	...	...	...	...	...
80'75	1'00	11	...	126'3	...	67'80	...	...	...	...	...	684'41	0'23	30	...	43'1	...	3	Midnapore—District & Central.
104'98	1'07	6	...	36'7	...	21'84	...	...	...	...	...	969'04	25'50	16	1	16'3	39'3	4	Bhadrupore—District & Central.
311'23	...	3	...	14'2	...	23'34	...	...	...	...	...	998'78	...	9	...	9'0	...	5	Buxar—Central.
137'75	...	38	...	233'8	...	3'25	...	...	...	...	...	735'73	22'30	07	6	131'8	340'6	6	Rajahmundry—District & Central.
303'04	1'75	17	...	84'1	...	31'80	0'08	2	...	63'4	...	907'75	9'16	34	...	37'6	...	7	Dacca—District & Central.
86'24	3'42	3	...	26'3	...	14'16	...	...	...	...	...	180'68	10'02	8	...	33'1	...	8	Hazaribagh.
32'08	3'43	1	...	31'1	...	16'42	1'06	...	...	...	...	161'07	14'41	6	...	37'1	...	9	Burdwan.
134'35	3'31	6	...	33'1	...	15'08	...	...	...	...	...	316'08	7'08	5	1	16'8	141'3	10	Hughly.
35'75	1'07	3	...	63'9	...	13'00	...	...	...	...	...	162'00	10'23	8	...	30'9	...	11	Mirzabad.
80'16	1'50	3	...	39'8	...	9'08	0'17	...	...	...	...	197'25	6'54	13	...	64'0	...	12	Dinapore.
85'08	1'73	15	...	277'3	...	41'17	...	7	...	170'0	...	383'80	14'50	39	1	116'0	68'3	13	Gya.
40'67	3'18	...	...	...	...	7'17	1'00	1	...	130'4	...	102'75	7'16	1	...	9'7	...	14	Nuddon.
42'42	0'04	3	...	47'1	...	7'23	1'00	1	...	137'9	...	184'42	3'01	6	...	29'7	...	15	Jessore.
32'25	0'75	5	...	36'6	...	6'75	0'41	3	...	347'6	...	235'00	7'01	37	3	164'4	379'3	16	Rungpore.
44'00	...	2	...	46'3	...	21'16	...	1	...	47'2	...	214'01	2'02	6	...	27'9	...	17	Purroddore.
63'17	1'16	3	...	30'6	...	19'28	...	5	...	102'1	...	242'08	5'00	11	...	34'9	...	18	Bachergunge.
61'06	0'63	6	...	116'1	...	8'42	...	...	...	...	...	231'75	5'08	12	1	61'7	190'8	19	Mymensingh.
23'30	0'17	...	...	...	...	10'16	0'73	1	...	98'4	...	98'91	2'75	3	...	30'3	...	20	Chittagong.
36'16	3'75	2	...	33'3	...	26'23	0'32	1	...	30'4	...	130'33	4'42	7	...	63'7	...	21	Patna.
17'00	0'70	...	...	...	...	11'04	0'17	1	...	90'2	...	132'41	10'75	2	...	16'1	...	22	Shahabad.
30'06	4'35	5	1	106'2	236'3	7'06	2'09	...	...	...	...	146'31	14'25	10	3	64'0	161'3	23	Masulipore.
67'63	1'58	2	...	39'4	...	6'04	0'17	1	...	164'4	...	175'08	10'07	6	...	34'2	...	24	Saran.
46'25	0'93	2	...	43'2	...	6'00	1'00	...	...	...	...	147'00	11'00	3	...	20'4	...	25	Chumpan.
64'91	2'04	3	...	91'0	...	23'00	0'23	1	...	43'4	...	260'33	10'20	9	...	33'4	...	26	Monohr.
46'25	1'09	3	...	67'7	...	10'32	...	...	...	...	...	238'63	8'50	5	...	30'0	...	27	Cuttack.
4'42	0'17	2	...	462'4	...	0'00	...	...	...	...	...	71'83	6'37	14	...	60'0	...	28	Darjeeling.
15'06	0'42	...	...	...	...	14'02	...	...	...	...	...	122'75	7'04	1	...	4'1	...	29	Durbhanga.
61'50	0'25	13	...	315'3	...	4'02	...	2	...	444'5	...	181'01	3'41	25	1	190'8	233'2	30	Lohardugga.
2,464'41	63'61	168	1	61'9	33'5	567'90	9'09	26	...	46'8	...	11,101'45	244'70	426	16	44'4	62'1	...	Total for Central and District Jails.
12'00	0'17	...	...	...	...	7'23	2'09	1	...	137'9	...	34'00	2'42	1	...	30'2	...	31	Bankura.
5'78	...	1	...	114'3	...	1'04	...	...	...	...	...	30'50	2'16	2	...	75'4	...	32	Beerbhoom.
5'00	0'42	1	...	104'4	...	2'16	0'50	...	...	...	...	27'63	1'05	1	1	35'9	620'8	33	Bogra.
9'33	0'06	1	...	101'7	...	0'92	...	...	...	...	...	26'62	1'08	6	1	164'7	925'9	34	Maldah.
11'00	0'38	...	...	...	...	1'43	...	2	...	1,468'4	...	43'92	2'35	4	...	91'0	...	35	Pubna.
6'38	0'32	3	...	203'9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44'85	2'42	2	...	64'7	...	36	Jalpaigore.
17'91	0'35	...	...	...	...	3'00	...	...	...	...	...	55'41	0'75	...	...	...	...	37	Noakhully.
7'35	0'23	...	...	...	...	3'00	0'75	...	...	...	...	42'91	1'08	...	...	...	...	38	Tippur.
11'45	0'07	2	...	173'1	...	3'75	0'43	1	1	363'9	2,340'9	63'53	2'75	5	5	74'3	727'2	39	Purneah.
5'00	0'26	...	...	...	...	0'00	...	...	...	...	...	23'41	2'43	...	...	...	...	40	Patna.
6'00	0'16	...	...	...	...	1'73	...	...	...	...	...	31'50	3'04	1	...	31'7	...	41	Bahadur.
18'92	0'50	8	...	623'9	...	3'23	0'34	...	...	...	...	60'92	1'06	10	...	175'6	...	42	Singbhum.
18'06	0'06	1	...	54'3	...	6'41	0'26	1	...	164'3	...	61'33	5'08	2	...	31'0	...	43	Manbhum.
3'00	0'00	...	...	...	...	0'00	...	1	...	12,500'0	...	18'56	2'61	1	...	85'5	...	44	Khoolna.
100'33	2'41	16	...	114'0	...	21'31	2'74	6	1	191'6	267'3	563'40	32'24	35	4	59'9	122'8	...	Total for Intermediate Jails.
2,464'74	63'76	168	1	60'8	21'3	568'21	12'33	26	1	46'7	77'9	11,744'03	242'54	431	22	79'7	64'5	...	Total for all Jails.
22'23	2'28	6	...	64'3	...	11'25	0'25	...	1	...	4,800'0	466'73	16'34	17	1	61'7	94'6	...	Add for Subsidiary Jails.
2,487'97	66'75	180	1	60'3	20'1	610'46	12'58	26	2	46'0	123'9	12,212'46	231'64	446	23	46'9	60'1	...	GRAND TOTAL.

died out of hospital.
murdered by another.

STATEMENT

Statement of mortality among the CONVICTS in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails

1		2		3			4			5		
Serial number.	JAILS.	UNDER 6 MONTHS IN JAIL.			FROM 6 TO 12 MONTHS.			FROM 1 TO 2 YEARS.				
		Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.		
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central ...	401'80	27	67'3	214'80	8	15'3	200'00	9	22'0	
	2	Presidency { District and Central	200'78	16	41'3	204'23	11	26'1	177'30	6	20'7	
	3	European ...	17'80	...	.....	9'16	...	.....	1'36	...	.....
	4	Midnapore—District and Central	97'88	3	22'3	60'23	12	120'1	74'30	10	133'4	
	5	Bhagalpore—District and Central	94'50	6	63'4	111'00	3	27'0	107'34	3	16'0	
	6	Buxar—Central ...	210'16	2	9'3	226'25	3	12'3	221'23	2	9'0	
	7	Rajshahye—District and Central	150'07	37	246'1	226'75	28	144'3	227'00	21	92'3	
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	8	Dacca—District and Central ...	271'25	7	18'3	206'25	8	20'1	121'08	9	60'2	
	9	Hasaribagh ...	104'08	4	38'4	20'75	...	.....	14'16	...	.....
	10	Burdwan ...	141'83	5	35'2	15'08	1	66'3	4'76	...	.....
	11	Hooghly ...	129'25	3	21'3	22'23	2	24'1	61'75	1	22'9	
	12	Mooredabad ...	122'41	5	40'8	27'34	...	.....	11'09	...	.....
	13	Dinapore ...	90'48	10	110'5	43'53	1	22'9	26'46	...	.....
	14	Gya ...	221'33	26	112'3	43'08	11	255'3	26'25	2	53'2	
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	15	Nuddea ...	54'23	...	.....	20'00	1	25'4	12'50	...	.....
	16	Jessore ...	26'43	4	46'3	19'17	...	.....	12'33	...	.....
	17	Rungpore ...	155'00	30	103'3	44'62	8	120'0	17'91	2	111'6	
	18	Furzedpore ...	144'53	5	34'3	27'17	1	36'3	21'75	...	.....
	19	Hackerpunge ...	209'58	11	52'4	28'65	...	.....	15'20	...	.....
	20	Mymensingh ...	179'50	11	61'3	23'08	1	22'4	17'07	1	26'3	
	21	Chittagong ...	73'08	2	27'3	16'08	...	.....	5'06	...	.....
	22	Patna ...	103'76	6	57'3	17'56	...	.....	5'06	...	.....
	23	Shahabad ...	116'28	2	17'3	10'09	...	.....	6'73	...	.....
	24	Mosufferpore ...	106'91	1	9'3	26'24	8	262'3	12'23	4	200'0	
	25	Sarun ...	146'75	5	34'0	12'20	1	20'0	12'04	...	.....
	26	Ohamparan ...	101'17	1	9'3	26'09	...	.....	12'23	1	72'3
	27	Monghyr ...	196'76	3	15'3	44'75	3	67'0	12'23	1	20'4	
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	28	Outback ...	126'00	2	10'7	20'42	2	66'7	12'91	1	60'2	
	29	Darjeeling ...	88'23	...	.....	5'22	1	127'6	5'22	12	271'6
	30	Durbhanga ...	26'25	1	11'7	27'00	...	.....	5'22	...	.....
		Lohardugga ...	103'23	21	202'2	12'00	2	122'3	5'22	2	246'4	
		Total for Central and District Jails.	4,642'57	226	25'1	1,221'17	112	22'1	1,746'08	75	64'6	
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	31	Bankura ...	20'00	1	20'0	2'76	...	.....	5'00	...	.....
	32	Beerbhoom ...	18'23	1	54'3	1'20	1	666'6	1'23	...	.....
	33	Bogra ...	23'08	2	26'0	2'09	...	.....	1'23	...	.....
	34	Maldah ...	20'04	4	120'7	1'03	...	.....	2'09	2	270'6
	35	Patna ...	22'16	2	69'3	2'03	1	273'2	2'04	...	.....
	36	Julpigoree ...	20'16	2	51'0	2'00	...	.....	2'22	...	.....
	37	Noakholly ...	48'23	...	.....	2'08	...	.....	6'08	...	.....
	38	Tipperah ...	26'07	...	.....	2'08	...	.....	1'23	...	.....
	39	Farneah ...	40'91	4	27'7	12'09	2	165'4	4'03	1	245'3	
	40	Poorce ...	20'00	...	.....	2'07	...	.....	1'23	...	.....
	41	Balasore ...	20'00	1	24'3	1'03	...	.....	1'03	...	.....
	42	Singhbhoom ...	41'23	3	121'1	2'03	1	110'1	4'03	2	470'7	
	43	Manbhoom ...	62'23	2	26'0	2'03	...	.....	1'03	...	.....
	44	Khoolna ...	16'00	1	62'3	2'23	...	.....	1'03	...	.....
		Total for Intermediate Jails	474'16	29	25'1	42'74	2	220'5	20'00	7	120'0	
		Total for all Jails	5,116'73	255	24'9	1,263'91	124	24'1	1,766'08	82	64'6	
		Add for Subsidiary Jails	402'17	12	40'0	5'22	...	.....	5'00	...	.....
		GRAND TOTAL	5,518'90	267	24'1	1,269'14	126	24'0	1,771'08	89	64'6	

* Including one death
† Data not given

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of Bengal during the year 1888 according to length of time passed in Jail.

6			7			8			9	
FROM 3 TO 5 YEARS.			FROM 5 TO 7 YEARS.			ABOVE 7 YEARS.			Jails.	Jails.
Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.		
186'08	4	21'1	306'08	9	34'8	34'33	1	18'4	1	Alipore—District and Central.
181'63	.....	.....	83'83	4	48'3	48'30	1	20'0	2	Presidency { District and Central. European.
187'75	3	15'9	140'33	3	11'0	77'38	.....	.....	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
273'33	3	7'3	190'08	3	15'7	137'73	.....	.....	4	Bhagalpore—District and Central.
178'35	2	11'2	121'34	.....	.....	38'42	.....	.....	5	Buxar—Central.
66'33	5	75'6	67'30	6	85'8	9'50	1	105'8	6	Rajshahye—District and Central.
207'5	4	105'8	57'50	5	85'0	13'33	1	75'0	7	Dacca—District and Central.
4'63	.....	.....	10'84	1	92'3	0'32	.....	.....	8	Hazaribagh.
4'63	.....	.....	8'16	.....	.....	1'07	.....	.....	9	Burdwan.
31'17	.....	.....	21'08	.....	.....	7'08	.....	.....	10	Hoochly.
5'34	.....	.....	8'41	.....	.....	0'16	.....	.....	11	Moorshedabad.
12'55	1	79'4	10'00	.....	.....	0'83	.....	.....	12	Dinapore.
34'00	1	41'6	11'34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	Gya.
9'00	.....	.....	5'00	.....	.....	0'04	.....	.....	14	Nudda.
11'30	.....	.....	6'33	.....	.....	2'08	.....	.....	15	Jessore.
7'30	.....	.....	4'75	.....	.....	5'33	.....	.....	16	Bangalore.
9'75	.....	.....	10'62	.....	.....	3'00	.....	.....	17	Pureschpore.
10'42	.....	.....	8'54	.....	.....	4'34	.....	.....	18	Backergunge.
3'36	.....	.....	2'04	.....	.....	0'04	.....	.....	19	Mymensingh.
1'00	1	1,000'0	5'42	.....	.....	1'00	.....	.....	20	Chittagong.
4'55	.....	.....	6'17	1	102'0	1'00	.....	.....	21	Patna.
6'88	.....	.....	3'16	.....	.....	1'33	.....	.....	22	Shahabad.
10'00	.....	.....	6'63	.....	.....	0'73	.....	.....	23	Mozufferpore.
6'17	.....	.....	6'67	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24	Saran.
6'75	1	145'1	7'06	.....	.....	3'30	.....	.....	25	Chumpanan.
6'35	.....	.....	6'04	2	325'9	4'16	.....	.....	26	Monghyr.
6'75	.....	.....	2'10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	Cuttack.
4'00	.....	.....	3'30	.....	.....	0'25	.....	.....	28	Darjeeling.
6'63	.....	.....	3'58	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	Darbhanga.
6'75	1	1,263'3	6'42	.....	.....	6'16	.....	.....	30	Lohardunga.
1,263'04	25	19'1	1,121'39	33	29'4	418'79	4	9'5	...	Total for Central and District Jail.
4'25	.....	.....	6'33	.....	.....	0'05	.....	.....	31	Bankura.
1'75	.....	.....	5'16	.....	.....	0'09	.....	.....	32	Beerbhoom.
1'35	.....	.....	3'17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33	Bonga.
6'00	.....	.....	1'16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	Maldah.
3'00	1	300'3	3'20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	Pulna.
0'50	.....	.....	2'00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	Jalpaiguri.
1'35	.....	.....	2'36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37	Northbilly.
1'35	.....	.....	1'00	.....	.....	0'33	.....	.....	38	Tipperah.
2'35	.....	.....	4'04	.....	.....	1'34	.....	.....	39	Purneah.
0'00	.....	.....	0'54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	Porra.
1'00	.....	.....	1'00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	41	Balesore.
2'45	.....	.....	2'40	1	415'5	.....	.....	.....	42	Singbhoon.
0'35	.....	.....	0'35	.....	.....	1'42	.....	.....	43	Mashbhoon.
0'35	.....	.....	2'00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	Khoulna.
20'41	1	44'5	26'21	1	25'3	3'54	.....	.....	...	Total for Intermediate Jails.
1,263'07	25	29'6	1,125'39	34	29'3	419'63	4	9'5	...	Total for all Jails.
.....	0'25	Add for Subordinate Jails.
1,263'07	25	19'6	1,157'03	34	29'3	419'63	4	9'5	...	GRAND TOTAL.

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murdered by another.

STATEMENT

Showing particulars regarding PRISONERS UNDER TRIAL

	1	2	3		4		5			6			7		
	Serial number.	JAILS.	Number remaining at the close of previous year.		Number received during the year.		Total.			Daily average number.			Released.		
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central ...	29	3	672	24	701	31	732	27'61	1'16	28'67	268	12	280
	2	Presidency—{ District and Central European ...	21	6	365	11	386	17	403	18'82	0'61	19'43	179	6	185
	3	Midnapore—District and Central...	4	...	85	...	87	...	87	1'94	...	1'94	27	...	27
	4	Bhaugulpore—District and Central	7	1	284	24	291	25	316	13'39	0'29	13'68	116	10	126
	5	Buzar—Central ...	16	2	433	19	449	21	470	23'18	1'78	24'91	208	10	218
	6	Rajahmundry—District and Central ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	Dacca—District and Central ...	5	...	313	23	318	23	341	14'49	1'08	15'57	138	12	150
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	8	Hazaribagh ...	2	1	136	24	140	25	165	12'21	1'00	13'20	83	10	93
	9	Burdwan ...	5	...	398	47	403	47	450	19'19	1'37	20'56	187	21	208
	10	Hoochly ...	5	...	210	11	224	11	235	7'61	0'12	7'73	86	6	92
	11	Moorsheadabad ...	7	...	307	18	314	18	332	8'47	0'70	9'23	69	10	103
	12	Moorsheadabad ...	4	...	128	19	132	19	151	4'09	0'84	5'53	60	5	65
	13	Dinapore ...	4	...	128	19	132	19	151	4'09	0'84	5'53	60	5	65
	14	Dinapore ...	22	1	630	31	662	32	694	27'45	1'01	28'46	348	19	364
	15	Gya ...	22	2	609	47	641	49	690	24'16	1'09	25'25	262	23	285
	16	Nuddea ...	16	...	167	14	182	14	196	7'96	0'43	8'39	79	6	85
	17	Jessore ...	4	...	249	2	253	2	255	14'50	0'08	14'58	133	...	133
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	18	Rungpore ...	17	...	283	12	290	12	292	11'57	0'24	11'81	118	8	121
	19	Farrakka ...	21	...	358	5	370	5	384	26'08	0'26	26'34	202	5	207
	20	Backergunge ...	15	1	374	10	380	20	409	23'14	1'22	24'36	192	13	205
	21	Mymensingh ...	17	1	452	18	469	19	498	26'58	1'09	27'67	183	8	191
	22	Chittagong ...	12	...	234	8	250	8	258	13'63	0'08	13'71	107	4	111
	23	Patna ...	29	2	442	15	471	17	486	23'61	1'18	24'79	235	6	241
	24	Shahabad ...	24	2	518	22	543	24	568	21'14	0'78	21'92	212	11	223
	25	Mosuffurpore ...	19	4	292	29	311	33	344	13'54	1'24	14'78	146	16	161
	26	Narun ...	3	2	325	26	328	28	346	13'06	1'23	14'29	146	14	160
	27	Chumpanan ...	6	1	378	10	383	20	403	16'08	1'20	17'28	169	5	174
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	28	Monghyr ...	31	...	583	24	614	24	638	30'31	0'37	31'08	231	7	238
	29	Cuttack ...	14	1	488	24	503	25	527	24'46	1'51	25'97	159	7	166
	30	Darjeeling ...	...	...	155	19	155	19	174	5'16	0'55	5'81	83	9	92
	31	Durghunga ...	6	1	243	12	249	14	263	9'70	0'76	10'46	104	3	107
	32	Lohardugga ...	24	1	554	25	578	26	604	27'52	0'20	28'48	294	15	309
		Total for Central and District Jails	412	22	10,518	594	10,923	628	11,241	526'24	28'20	554'44	3,044	209	3,253
	33	Bankura ...	1	1	127	3	128	3	131	5'25	0'04	5'29	73	1	74
	34	Beerbhoom ...	12	2	250	20	262	22	287	9'38	0'59	9'98	123	12	135
	35	Bogra ...	4	...	201	22	205	22	227	8'61	0'67	9'28	104	7	111
	36	Maldah ...	7	...	233	6	240	6	246	8'57	0'29	8'86	116	8	124
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	37	Pubna ...	11	...	266	12	280	12	311	21'78	1'78	23'56	154	7	161
	38	Jalpaiguri ...	36	...	302	17	340	17	357	21'50	0'51	22'51	157	12	169
	39	Noakhally ...	12	...	207	8	219	8	227	9'73	0'52	10'25	94	2	96
	40	Tippurah ...	9	...	172	5	181	5	186	10'22	0'29	10'51	62	2	64
	41	Purneah ...	10	...	206	10	216	10	224	12'27	0'79	13'07	109	6	115
	42	Poorah ...	7	...	280	12	297	12	309	7'14	0'25	7'40	129	1	130
	43	Balesore ...	10	1	222	9	233	10	243	14'22	0'54	14'76	120	2	122
	44	Singbhoom ...	1	1	344	22	366	23	389	15'06	0'29	15'35	103	20	123
	45	Manbhoom ...	5	...	225	24	250	24	264	15'26	0'49	15'75	226	12	238
	46	Rhoolna ...	14	...	246	7	253	7	260	15'24	0'21	15'45	105	6	111
		Total for Intermediate Jails	164	5	2,022	104	2,126	121	2,247	175'05	5'26	180'31	1,242	201	1,443
		Total for all Jails	576	27	12,540	704	13,049	749	13,488	699'29	33'76	735'20	4,286	230	4,516
		Add for Subsidiary Jails	264	11	12,026	225	12,251	227	12,478	429'02	20'22	449'24	4,275	225	4,500
		GRAND TOTAL	840	38	24,566	929	25,299	976	25,966	1,128'31	53'98	1,182'44	8,561	455	9,016

* Including one unaccounted who escaped
+ Ditto 7 male and 1 female soldier
+ Including 10 prisoners (6 male and 4 female)
+ Ditto one prisoner committed

No. XIX.

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

8			9		10		11		12			13	
Convicted and sentenced.			Transferred.		Escaped.		Died.		Remaining on the 31st December 1888.			Serial number.	JAILS.
M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.		
375	11	386	20	2	...	...	3	...	23	8	31	1	Alipore—District and Central.
185	10	195	8	...	...	...	...	...	19	1	20	2	Presidency— <i>{ District and Central.</i> <i>{ European.</i>
38	.....	38	.....	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
103	15	118	4	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	8	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
304	10	314	19	1	...	...	1	...	17	...	17	5	Buxar—Central.
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	6	Rajahmhye—District and Central.
150	8	158	14	1	...	...	...	...	8	2	10	7	Dacca—District and Central.
44	8	52	6	6	...	...	25	...	6	1	7	8	Hazratibagh.
304	25	329	6	2	...	...	...	...	6	1	7	9	Burdwan.
105	4	109	21	1	...	...	...	...	12	...	12	10	Hoochly.
98	7	105	14	1	...	...	...	...	10	...	10	11	Moorsheadabad.
82	9	91	14	8	...	...	...	...	6	...	6	12	Dinapore.
203	10	213	19	2	...	...	1	1	23	...	23	13	Gya.
313	24	337	11	...	...	...	2	1	13	1	14	14	Nuddea.
89	7	96	11	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	15	Jessore.
105	2	107	5	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	10	16	Rungpore.
122	0	122	8	...	...	...	3	...	8	...	8	17	Furroodpore.
141	.....	141	9	...	...	...	1	...	20	...	20	18	Hackergunge.
161	6	167	15	...	...	...	...	...	23	1	24	19	Mymensingh.
223	12	235	16	2	...	...	1	...	46	1	47	20	Chittagong.
119	1	120	14	2	...	...	...	...	11	...	11	21	Patna.
212	11	223	4	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	20	22	Shahabad.
305	12	317	6	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	20	23	Muzafferpore.
167	18	185	1	...	...	...	1	...	0	...	0	24	Warun.
187	11	198	9	...	...	...	...	...	10	3	13	25	Chumbarun.
190	14	204	11	...	...	...	1	...	0	1	1	26	Monghyr.
207	16	223	2	...	...	...	...	...	24	1	25	27	Cuttack.
205	14	219	24	1	...	...	1	1	43	2	45	28	Darjeeling.
70	10	80	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	Durbinaga.
125	12	137	4	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	13	30	Lohardugga.
228	10	238	14	1	...	...	1	...	17	...	17	Total for Central and District Jails.	
5,007	303	5,310	312	24	...	...	14	2	402	20	422	31	Bankoora.
82	1	83	.....	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	32	Beerbhoom.
114	9	123	9	1	...	...	...	...	9	...	9	33	Bogra.
66	12	78	3	...	...	...	1	...	11	2	13	34	Maldah.
100	2	102	2	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	11	35	Patna.
124	2	126	8	1	...	...	...	...	12	1	13	36	Jalpigoree.
167	4	171	7	1	...	...	2	...	7	...	7	37	Noakholly.
119	2	121	4	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	38	Tipperah.
102	2	104	3	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	14	39	Purneah.
126	4	130	1	...	...	...	1	...	12	...	12	40	Pooroo.
121	9	130	10	1	...	...	...	...	10	1	11	41	Balasore.
103	6	109	5	1	...	...	...	...	8	...	8	42	Singbhoom.
177	11	188	6	2	...	...	2	...	15	...	15	43	Manbhoom.
219	5	224	.....	...	...	...	...	...	19	1	20	44	Khoulina.
83	1	84	24	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	7	Total for Intermediate Jails	
719	75	794	24	9	...	...	6	...	125	6	131	Total for all Jails.	
6,316	361	6,677	266	29	...	...	24	3	504	25	529	Add for Subsidiary Jails.	
6,316	361	6,677	1,400	97	75	...	16	...	476	15	491	GRAND TOTAL.	
12,132	622	12,754	1,666	126	8	...	40	3	1,074	40	1,114		

and was re-arrested during the year 1888.
 trial prisoners who escaped and were re-arrested during the year 1888.
 female) transferred to the Lunatic Asylum.
 outside in the Jail.

PART D.



**MISCELLANEOUS STATEMENTS PRESCRIBED BY THE
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.**

Showing the Nature and Amount of Accommodation for each class of PRISONERS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Serial number.	NAMES OF JAILS.	Description of accommodation.	NUMBER OF PRISONERS WHO COULD BE ACCOMMODATED ON THE 31ST DECEMBER OF THE JAIL DEVOTED TO—											
			Hospital.		Observation cells.		Civil prisoners.		Under-trials.		Europeans.		Juvenile convicts.	Female convicts.
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
1	Allpore—District & Centl.	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	123	4			3		25				43	
			123	4			3		25				43	
			108'45	1'11			0'28		27'51				51'16	
2	Presidency	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	85				20		54				3	
			85				20		54				3	
			50'78				13'42		12'50				0'82	
							5		8				1	
			5				5		8				1	
			2'11				1'35		1'04					
3	Midnapore—Dist. & Centl.	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	83	10			10		31				31	31
			83	10			10		31				31	31
			47'72				1'06		13'39				9'14	
4	Bhagalpore—Dist. & Centl.	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	90	7					10				34	03
			90	7					10				34	04
			47'10	0'78			12'02		22'48	1'74	1'00		27'40	23'62
5	Buxar—Central	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	144										127	
			144										127	
			93'00								1'16		95'86	
6	Rajahmundry—Dist. & Centl.	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	55				14		41				10	58
			55				14		41				10	58
			46'31				1'52		22'30				10'00	25'26
7	Dacca—Dist. & Central	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	100										7	13
			100										7	13
			100'00										0'78	10'21
8	Hazratnagar—District	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	60	6			31		31				31	37
			60	6			31		31				31	37
			4'72	1'06			0'70		10'18				21'00	26'70
9	Nuriwan	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	31				6		28				25	45
			31				6		28				25	45
			7'33				0'77		7'00				2'34	10'14

* There was overcrowding in the under-trial ;
† There being no under-trial and civil ;
‡ There is no accommodation for civil ;

room, when was
under-trial and
prisoners, they

MENT A.

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

16	17	18	19	20	21	
1888 IN THE PART		Superficial area per prisoner within enclosing wall, in square yards.	SPENT ON JAIL BUILDINGS DURING THE YEAR.		REMARKS.	
Male convicts.	Grand Total.		By Jail Department.	By Public Works Department.	A.	B.
					Works ordered by the Inspector-General of Jails.	Works executed and paid for by the Public Works Department.
48	48	54'30	2,472	5,534	Enlarging the cookshed and latrine accommodation; a room for the arms and ammunition; second and third head-wardens' rooms; a verandah for the guard-room; roofing the old outside jute godown; a small verandah to the new corrugated iron workshop.	Constructing a double-storied building, Rs. 287; repairs, Rs. 5,247.
1,489	1,608					
1,357	1,740					
1441'37	1607'43					
233	233					
900	1,030	53'10	2,004	84,267	Connecting the Jail with the filtered water-supply of Calcutta; feeding sheds for the guards; divisional walls; a night-soil depot; a back passage; the new range of printing sheds.	Constructing an inner skin wall, Rs. 2,055; walling off south-east corner, Rs. 1,718; for a corrugated-iron shed, Rs. 24,016; additions to the workshop, Rs. 418; for purchasing three pipes for bringing filtered water, Rs. 2,304; for bringing filtered water, Rs. 2,080; for four latrines, Rs. 3,395; roofing feeding platform, Rs. 4,194; minor works, Rs. 143; repairs, Rs. 4,208.
1,122	1,354					
1008'86	1182'24					
60	64					
.....	13					
.....	101'01	636	1,463	Joining the two corridor cells by a divisional wall; closing the back entrance; strengthening the iron doors; three cholera huts.	Renewing roof of the jail hospital, Rs. 258; minor works, Rs. 23; repairs, Rs. 1,192.
.....					
60	79					
26'06	22'76					
20	24					
200	200	132'73	1,365	24,291	The factory enclosure; reconstructing the waste-water shed; placing the sentry box in the Jailor's quarters; new day latrines.	Paving passage between main gates, Rs. 19; constructing six double-storied barracks, Rs. 14,296; alterations to the Jail building, Rs. 1,811; putting up lightning conductor at the Jailor's quarters, Rs. 218; substituting corrugated-iron roofs for tiled roofs in admission cells, Rs. 266; minor works, Rs. 181; repairs, Rs. 7,670.
888	1,024					
1,048	1,246					
616'82	686'17					
10	20					
1,134	1,236	161'20	1,386	16,792	Alterations to the drainage; ration and clothing godowns; a new house for the Deputy Superintendent.	
.....					
10	10					
40	40					
611	1,082					
261	1,123	97'91	1,270	20	Building up settling tanks.	Repairs, Rs. 20.
904'00	904'30					
6	6					
.....					
763	940					
768	946	81'73	1,731	14,051	A cow-house; a cholera hut; enlarging the parade ground; alterations to the wardens' latrines.	Constructing double-storied barracks for warders, Rs. 11,050; residence of the Superintendent, Central Jail, Rs. 8,165; minor works, Rs. 106; repairs, Rs. 1,050.
667'44	771'32					
66	66					
824	973					
823	1,041					
820'31	947'37	776'93	13	213		Repairs, Rs. 213.
46	46					
664	663					
271	271					
773	973					
141'00	179'48	123'01	123	2,204		Minor works, Rs. 248; repairs, Rs. 2,016.
6	6					
125	226					
.....					
121	221					
121'76	120'76					

mitigated by accommodating the excess number of under-trial prisoners in one of the convict wards. and prisoners were accommodated in the wards for the convicts. were locked up in cells at night.

Showing the Nature and Amount of Accommodation for each class of PRISONERS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Serial number.	NAMES OF JAILS.	Description of accommodation.	NUMBER OF PRISONERS WHO COULD BE ACCOMMODATED ON THE 31ST DECEMBER OF THE JAIL DEVOTED TO—											
			Hospital.		Observation cells.		Civil prisoners.		Under-trials.		Europeans.		Juvenile convicts.	Female convicts.
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
10	Hooghly	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population ... ..	...	...	...	...	14	...	18	...	...	...	10	...
11	Mooredahad	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population ... ..	...	...	...	...	11	...	18	...	...	...	9	87
12	Dinapore	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	114	...	...	...	9	...	40	...	...	...	19	...
13	Gya	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	34	...	...	...	6	...	25	...	2	...	14	16
14	Nudda	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	18	...	...	...	3	...	16	...	...	...	8	17
15	Jessore	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	30	...	...	...	7	...	38	...	...	...	16	...
16	Rungpore	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	31	...	...	...	10	...	35	...	...	...	16	...
17	Furzedpore	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	32	...	18	...	10	...	30	...	...	...	8	8
18	Backergunge	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	25	...	...	...	40	...	34	...	...	...	13	...
19	Mymensingh	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	24	...	...	...	6	...	20	...	...	...	14	...

MENT A—continued

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

16	17	18	19	20	21	
1888 IN THE PART		Superficial area per prisoner within enclosing wall, in square yards.	SPENT ON JAIL BUILDINGS DURING THE YEAR.		REMARKS.	
Male convicts.	Grand Total.		By Jail Department.	By Public Works Department.	A.	B.
					Works ordered by the Inspector-General of Jails.	Works executed and paid for by the Public Works Department.
6	6	106'38	103	7,393	Repairs to the Civil Hospital Assistant's quarters and worksheds; conversion of half of the workshed into a day latrine; enlarging the Assistant Jailor's quarters and office; the conversion of one of the godowns into a guard-room.	Repairs, Rs. 7,393.
234	234					
554	617					
764	867					
294'25	337'20	254'50	180	63	Removal of the two cross walls; irrigation channel for the inner garden.	Minor works, Rs. 21; repairs Rs. 41.
6	9					
.....					
565	516					
371	527	117'34	509	2,450	...	Repairs, Rs. 2,450.
129'48	174'58					
6	6					
333	510					
19	40	55'91	52	1,024	Minor works, Rs. 145; repairs, Rs. 79
357	536					
161'23	328'00					
16	16					
.....	146'84	419	1,247	Removal of one line of the worksheds and repairs to the others; tilting the workshed in the female ward.	Additions and alterations to the cook-shed, Rs. 354; minor works, Rs. 131. Repairs, Rs. 804.
354	481					
379	467					
300'30	377'73					
4	6	312'46	65	223	Repairs, Rs. 223.
183	245					
.....					
187	249					
87'06	120'44	36'53	438	2,921	Improvements to the female ward	Repairs, Rs. 2,921.
6	6					
.....					
240	331					
245	337	184'08	664	2,921	Two fire places; the conversion of the civil jail into Jailor's quarters.	Re-roofing thatched ward with corrugated iron, Rs. 569; repairs, Rs. 2,028.
112'50	153'37					
.....					
235	345					
245	345	81'23	735	1,630	Minor works, Rs. 141; repairs, Rs. 569.
366'75	347'05					
.....					
360	323					
15	15	78'48	629	415	Corrugated iron latrine, Rs. 344 repairs, Rs. 47.
275	269					
197'08	267'00					
.....	6					
.....	213'05	735	1,630	Minor works, Rs. 141; repairs, Rs. 569.
244	296					
244	296					
290'35	321'15					
.....	78'48	629	415	Corrugated iron latrine, Rs. 344 repairs, Rs. 47.
6	6					
277	264					
.....					
225	267	213'05	735	1,630	Minor works, Rs. 141; repairs, Rs. 569.
213'05	267'05					

accommodating the excess number of prisoners in convict wards.

Showing the nature and amount of accommodation for each class of PRISONERS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Serial number.	NAME OF JAIL.	Description of accommodation.	NUMBER OF PRISONERS WHO COULD BE ACCOMMODATED ON THE 31ST DECEMBER OF THE JAIL DEVOTED TO—											
			Hospital.		Observation cells.		Civil prisoners.		Under-trials.		Europeans.		Juvenile convicts.	Female convicts.
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
20	Chittagong	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	26	...	5	...	8	...	26	...	26	...	8	13
21	Patna	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	39	...	...	...	4	...	23	...	2	...	23	23
22	Shahabad	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	28	...	...	...	12	...	18	...	...	...	18	21
23	Mosufforpore	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	34	9	6	...	10	...	29	...	...	...	23	26
24	Saran	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	28	...	4	...	4	...	15	...	...	...	13	13
25	Chumpran	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	42	...	...	...	6	...	20	...	2	...	14	14
26	Monchyr	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	21	...	...	...	12	...	51	...	...	...	8	15
27	Cuttack	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	38	...	9	...	12	...	23	...	6	...	23	23
28	Darjeeling	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	8	...	...	...	2	...	8	...	...	...	5	5
29	Darbhanga	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	27	...	...	...	11	...	19	...	...	...	15	15

* The overcrowding in the under-trial ward was relieved by
† The overcrowding in the under-trial ward was relieved by
‡ The overcrowding at the under-trial ward was relieved by

MENT A—continued.

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

16	17	18	19	20	21
1888 IN THE PART		Superficial area per prisoner within enclosing wall in square yards.	SPENT ON JAIL BUILDINGS DURING THE YEAR.		REMARKS.
Male convicts.	Grand Total.		By Jail Department.	By Public Works Department.	
			Rs.	Rs.	
..... 5	97'55	1,301	4,928	Minor works, Rs. 78. Repairs Rs. 4,850.
192	294				
182	280				
86'48	116'30	184'24	741	1,030	An additional sleeping-room for the civil prisoners; improvements to the Assistant Jailor's quarters; strengthening the two main gates; iron gratings in the hospital doors and windows.
8	3				
207	321				
.....	247'33	100	584	Special repairs to the civil ward, Rs. 325. Constructing masonry drain, Rs. 229. Minor works, Rs. 130.
210	324				
118'25	160'00				
6	7	140'00	440	3	Constructing an additional compound wall, Rs. 3.
234	310				
226	317				
107'09	161'34	189'17	125	530	Closing up every alternate windows instead of bricking them up.
..... 6	.....			
156	279				
89	130	123'74	20	7,582	Bricking up the openings of the worksheds; married warders' quarters.
225	400				
116'30	193'31				
..... 6	69'55	80	392	Repairing the tiled sheds; a triangle over the inner main gate; raising a wall round the large well.
196	244				
184	248				
163'06	208'53	74'07	237	2,219	Removal of the wall enclosing the hospital; a new civil ward; conversion of the cells into a civil jail.
16	18				
226	338				
272	386	58'32	1,073	2,084	Putting a corrugated iron roof over the Jailor's quarters, Rs. 311. Diverting the course of the jail stream, Rs. 479. Minor works, Rs. 364. Repairs, Rs. 490.
134'23	177'83				
4	4				
243	320	100'00	164	705	A new dead-house
.....				
247	354				
226'20	318'06	58'32	1,073	2,084	Minor works, Rs. 349. Repairs, Rs. 337.
..... 9	.....			
177	279				
140	166	58'32	1,073	2,084	Minor works, Rs. 349. Repairs, Rs. 337.
217	329				
200'54	277'11				
4	13	58'32	1,073	2,084	Minor works, Rs. 349. Repairs, Rs. 337.
.....				
73	96				
76	107	58'32	1,073	2,084	Minor works, Rs. 349. Repairs, Rs. 337.
69'34	84'06				
16	16				
120	213	58'32	1,073	2,084	Minor works, Rs. 349. Repairs, Rs. 337.
100	120				
240	347				
118'01	160'34				

Placing the census number of prisoners in the empty convict wards.
 recommending the census number of prisoners in vacant wards for convicts.
 recommending the surplus prisoners in the worksheds.

Showing the Nature and Amount of Accommodation for each class of PRISONERS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Serial number.	NAMES OF JAILS.	Description of accommodation.	NUMBER OF PRISONERS WHO COULD BE ACCOMMODATED ON THE 31ST DECEMBER OF THE JAIL DEVOTED TO—											
			Hospital.		Observation cells.		Civil prisoners.		Under-trials.		Europeans.		Juvenile convicts.	Female convicts.
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
30	Lohardugga	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	10				5		10					9
									25					
			10				5		35					9
			6'68				1'45		36'98					4'33
31	Bankoora Intermediate	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population			6									
			56	10			9		13					26
			56	10	6		9		13					36
			3'25		0'05		0'04		5'26					2'35
33	Beerbhoom	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population												
			36				18		18					18
			36				18		18					18
			0'50				0'58		9'41					2'06
35	Bogra	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population												
			10				6		25					10
			10				6		25					10
			0'45	0'21			2'11		8'53	0'63				1'71
34	Maldah	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population												
			5		5		19		19					7
			5		5		19		19					7
			3'17	0'06			5'64		8'67	0'29				0'06
35	Pubna	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population												
			10				6		23					10
			10				6		23					10
			2'02				0'04		21'70					4'21
36	Julpigoree	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population												
			13		5		5		10					9
			13		5		5		10					9
			6'45		2'06		2'14		12'38					3'25
37	Noakholly	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population												
			16				8		19					8
			16				8		19					8
			2'79				3'06		9'71					0'78
38	Tipperah	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population												
			16				16		16					16
			16				16		16					16
			7'98				8'36		14'51					1'45
39	Purneah	{ Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population												
			18				5		12		8			8
			18				5		12		8			8
			3'45	0'24			1'03		11'99	0'36				2'01

* The overcrowding in the courts wards was relieved by allowing
† The overcrowding in the under-trial ward was relieved by

MENT A—continued.

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

16	17	18	19	20	21	
1888 IN THE PART		Superficial area per prisoner within enclosing wall in square yards.	SPENT ON JAIL BUILDINGS DURING THE YEAR.		REMARKS.	
Male convicts.	Grand Total.		By Jail Department.	By Public Works Department.		
			A.	B.		
			Works ordered by the Inspector-General of Jails.	Works executed and paid for by the Public Works Department.		
5 73 48 119 130'48	5 106 70 181 165'77	27'20	44	35	Quarters for married warders; bricking up the iron gratings on the ground floor; additions and alterations to the under-trial ward.	Minor works Rs. 25.
.....	6					
308	325					
308	331					
34'38	40'33	400'34	17
.....					
.....					
.....					
5 216 231 28'14	5 306 311 41'20	630'24	306	103	Removal of the day latrine	Minor works Rs. 100.
.....					
.....					
.....					
5 124 120 23'97	5 185 190 30'63	407'37	51	40	Minor works Rs. 40.
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.....					
.....					
2 47 40 34'28	2 94 97 50'97	33'50	573
.....					
.....					
.....					
5 135 180 40'00	5 173 178 60'07	234'19	7 75	140	Repairs Rs. 140.
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.....					
..... 110 116 37'07 150 186 73'50	300'36	1,436	Constructing bathing platform and drain in the female enclosure; erection of a shed for post-mortem examination; roof ventilation of the two godowns.	Constructing pure drain in the outer compound of the Jail Rs. 405; repairs Rs. 978
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.....					
3 77 30 22'06	3 120 121 60'40	75'31	601	300	Repairs Rs. 600.
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.....					
3 90 90 27'04	3 100 100 50'76	91'73	30	2,300	Repairs Rs. 2,300.
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.....					
4 225 200 41'07	4 200 270 61'77	201'24	20	300	Minor works Rs. 20; repairs Rs. 231.
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.....					

quarters to sleep in the under-trial wards and the under-trial prisoners were kept in one of the convict wards, also comprising the same number of prisoners in the vacant convict wards.

Showing the Nature and Amount of Accommodation for each class of PRISONERS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Serial number.	NAMES OF JAILS.	Description of accommodation.	NUMBER OF PRISONERS ACCOMMODATED ON THE 31ST DECEMBER OF THE JAIL DEVOTED TO—											
			Hospital.		Observation cells.		Civil prisoners.		Under-trials.		Europeans.		Juvenile convicts.	Female convicts.
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
40	Pooree	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	10	...	...	...	3	...	6	...	...	...	...	5
41	Balasore	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	12	...	...	...	6	...	15	...	...	...	...	17
42	Singhbhum	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	10	...	...	...	6	...	10	...	...	...	...	10
43	Manbhoom	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	25	...	...	...	6	...	32	...	...	...	...	10
44	Khoolna	Cells Barracks with separate sleeping accommodation. Ditto without Total Total average population	11	...	...	...	5	...	14	...	...	...	...	6
Total for Central and District Jails.			722	23	31	...	5	...	307	...	17	...	105	310
Total for Intermediate Jails.			1,523	34	31	...	145	3	378	...	34	...	104	265
Total for all Jails			1,773	45	77	...	204	3	685	...	51	...	209	575
Add for Subsidiary Jails			23	3	2	...	3	...	147	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			1,829	49	79	...	207	3	832	...	51	...	209	575

* The under-trial ward was overcrowded, and to relieve overcrowding
† Included Rs. 245, Rs. 245, and Rs. 67 for repairs to the Subordinate school

MENT A—concluded.

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

16	17	18	19	20	21
1888 IN THE PART		Superficial area not prisoners within enclosing wall in square yards.	SPENT ON JAIL BUILDINGS DURING THE YEAR.		REMARKS.
Male convicts.	Grand Total.		By Jail Department.	By Public Works Department.	
			A.	B.	
			Works ordered by the Inspector-General of Jails.	Works executed and paid for by the Public Works Department.	
50	73	264'67	Rs.	Rs.	Repairs, Rs. 1,797.
50	73		98	1,797	
32'48	44'00				
4	4	178'50			Repairs, Rs. 1,023.
116	167		310	1,023	
116	171				
31'75	40'58				
75	111	230'79	48		Repairs, Rs. 304.
75	116				
47'53	73'92				
108	181	178'01	373	304	Repairs, Rs. 304.
108	108				
46'58	88'20				
34	70	26'57	304	1,854	Reconstruction and renewal of huts for the accommodation of Jail subordinates, Rs. 8; additions and alterations to Jail buildings, Rs. 1,086. Repairs Rs. 4,087.
34	70				
13'94	84'74				
696	694	117'19	19,123	1,80,325	
6,923	7,749				
7,405	9,397				
14,005	17,640				
10,126'48	12,085'30				
31	32	233'24	2,674	9,513	
466	762				
1,144	1,808				
1,041	2,455				
515'25	615'25				
637	792	134'55	31,000	1,70,120	
6,400	8,481				
6,510	11,000				
16,730	20,302				
10,081'34	15,305'30				
217	473	67'12	4,942	20,100	
391	607				
423	745				
930	1,300				
248'11	347'45				
344	1,302	239'00	25,000	12,00,000	
4,790	9,000				
9,000	11,000				
14,000	20,115				
10,000'00	12,300'00				

The usual number of prisoners was accommodated in one of the main wards for convicts, at Alipore, Hyderabad and Durgachowree, respectively.

STATEMENT

Showing the condition of the CONVICTS DISCHARGED

1		2	3	4	5		
	Serial number.	JAILS.	Number discharged during the year.	Number who had neither lost nor gained weight in jail.	NUMBER WHO HAD GAINED		
					A.	B.	C.
					Up to 1 lb.	From 1 to 5 lbs.	From 5 to 10 lbs.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1	Alipore—District and Central	4,157	2,210	200	511	208
	2	Presidency ... { District and Central	1,038	776	206	323	150
		European	232	53	28	46	21
	3	Midnapore—District and Central	890	206	208	170	84
	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central	1,254	234	111	318	190
	5	Buxar—Central	1,018	131	133	327	180
	6	Rajahmundry—District and Central	834	140	93	227	144
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	7	Dacca—District and Central	1,602	233	116	415	188
	8	Hasaribagh	737	143	78	281	118
	9	Burdwan	662	119	120	229	133
	10	Hooahly	681	180	80	273	90
	11	Moorshedabad	908	81	80	364	124
	12	Dinapore	766	202	20	223	92
	13	Gya	1,306	801	107	68	...
JAILS HOLDING OVER 200 PRISONERS.	14	Nudden	600	81	224	73	11
	15	Jessore	856	65	66	166	117
	16	Rungpore	751	74	64	221	130
	17	Furzedpore	1,078	220	164	338	78
	18	Bachergunge	1,240	247	203	306	102
	19	Mymensingh	1,112	306	187	297	120
	20	Chittagong	445	67	64	108	24
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 200 PRISONERS.	21	Patna	645	203	243	185	64
	22	Shahabad	806	234	147	164	60
	23	Mosufferpore	570	188	57	141	65
	24	Sarun	680	174	78	161	78
	25	Chumparun	578	128	120	136	63
	26	Monghyr	1,320	414	467	114	24
	27	Cuttack	1,026	248	190	240	108
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	28	Darjeeling	319	27	8	76	20
	29	Durbhunga	548	73	78	171	44
	30	Lohardugga	582	196	26	98	20
		Total for Central and District Jails	20,614	5,789	4,426	6,790	2,973
	31	Bankura	212	89	26	26	18
	32	Berhampur	210	70	42	20	10
	33	Bogra	234	(Not available, as the weighing			
	34	Maldah	290	48	60	25	47
	35	Pubna	201	68	120	51	7
	36	Jalpigore	284	44	48	122	97
	37	Noakhully	205	163	88	78	19
	38	Tipperah	445	20	26	210	20
	39	Purneah	215	48	64	144	20
	40	Poochoe	210	72	.....	120	41
	41	Bahapore	204	27	26	26	20
	42	Singbhoom	281	21	27	76	26
	43	Manbhoom	281	141	206	127	48
	44	Bhoolna	200	44	60	20	0
		Total for Intermediate Jails	4,426	689	700	1,264	425
		GRAND TOTAL	25,040	6,478	5,126	8,054	3,398

B—(For convicts only).

from the Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

WEIGHT.		NUMBER WHO HAD LOST WEIGHT.				Total.	Serial number.	JAILS.
D.		A.	B.	C.	D.			
Over 16 lbs.	Total.	Up to 1 lb.	From 1 to 4 lbs.	From 5 to 16 lbs.	Over 16 lbs.			
180	1,374	270	201	64	28	673	1	Allpore—District and Central.
75	214	145	109	33	10	248	2	Presidency { District and Central. European.
3	28	21	15	5	.....	61	3	Midnapore—District and Central.
11	408	111	88	17	3	216	4	Bhagulpore—District and Central.
132	700	66	112	54	28	260	5	Buxar—Central.
77	626	66	74	41	20	191	6	Rajahmundry—District and Central.
4	407	64	125	18	.....	197	7	Dacca—District and Central.
25	778	125	203	129	33	485	8	Hazaribagh.
20	401	40	50	12	1	103	9	Burdwan.
45	520	95	120	23	5	244	10	Hoochly.
45	407	37	110	23	5	194	11	Moorshedabad.
20	517	61	108	22	6	265	12	Dinapore.
.....	213	54	112	44	.....	210	13	Gya.
.....	225	64	16	.....	.....	80	14	Nudden.
4	361	119	16	3	.....	136	15	Jessore.
25	413	30	25	5	3	105	16	Rungpore.
31	475	23	104	22	11	208	17	Furzedpore.
25	500	61	120	23	5	247	18	Bachergunge.
27	626	22	116	40	14	244	19	Mymensingh.
20	512	26	22	10	4	194	20	Chittagong.
7	212	66	72	9	1	148	21	Patna.
12	510	51	60	17	7	156	22	Shahabad.
27	427	20	25	9	.....	72	23	Mosufferpore.
3	261	47	65	9	4	123	24	Saran.
22	206	21	123	63	50	340	25	Chumpan.
9	210	50	53	14	5	122	26	Monghyr.
.....	623	200	60	.....	.....	230	27	Cuttack.
64	609	128	64	10	2	178	28	Darjeeling.
3	124	1	25	9	3	36	29	Durblunga.
5	202	44	106	14	.....	166	30	Lehardugga.
12	240	70	20	12	3	120		Total for Central and District Jails.
1,180	10,351	2,420	2,206	472	202	6,500		
2	31	21	19	2	1	43	31	Bankura.
6	145	17	48	7	3	74	32	Hearbhoom.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33	Bogra.
25	125	22	11	5	2	40	34	Maldah.
.....	125	20	4	.....	.....	43	35	Pabna.
25	200	17	27	6	1	51	36	Julpigore.
2	120	25	12	2	.....	40	37	Nashholy.
3	200	25	40	3	.....	65	38	Tipperah.
12	120	40	25	5	1	65	39	Purneah.
20	100	.....	24	5	3	42	40	Poorua.
20	177	16	12	.....	.....	30	41	Balaore.
22	125	9	46	14	6	76	42	Hinghoom.
11	225	25	17	4	.....	57	43	Manbhoom.
3	120	40	20	9	.....	75	44	Khoshna.
142	2,000	227	240	63	19	720		Total for Intermediate Jail
2,222	17,351	2,700	2,206	535	221	7,220		GRAND TOTAL.

and corrections.

Showing working of the Mark System in the Jails

1	2	3	4										5				
Serial number.	JAILS.	Number released during the year who came under the mark system, but failed to gain remission.	NUMBER OF CONVICTS RELEASED DURING THE YEAR WHO GAINED REMISSION UNDER THE MARK SYSTEM.										MAXIMUM REMISSION CONVICTS RELEASED				
			Sentenced to—										Sentenced				
			Two years or less.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Ditto 4 years.	Ditto 5 years.	Ditto 6 years.	Ditto 7 years.	Ditto 8 years.	Ditto 9 years.	Ditto 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years.	Two years or less.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Ditto 4 years.	Ditto 5 years.	Ditto 6 years.
JAILS HOLDING OVER 1,000 PRISONERS.	1 Allpore—District and Central	.....	78	27	16	20	8	8	1	1	2	2	76	105	85	105	100
	2 Presidency { District & Central	.....	60	32	13	15	15	4	1	1	1	1	74	110	100	100	100
	3 { European ... ..	.....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	...	...	...	...
	4 Midnapore—District & Central	.....	29	14	4	11	4	4	1	8	1	1	73	122	120	102	142
	5 Bhagulpore—District & Central	.....	32	25	13	12	3	5	1	...	1	3	76	119	140	207	120
	6 Buxar—Central	1	45	31	11	11	8	3	1	1	3	...	81	100	112	123	140
JAILS HOLDING OVER 500 PRISONERS.	7 Rajshahy—District & Central	.....	19	7	11	2	1	1	1	...	4	1	60	104	127	161	126
	8 Dacca—District and Central ...	.....	33	10	6	6	3	1	...	...	12	...	86	119	148	128	134
	9 Hazaribagh ... ..	.....	16	5	2	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	60	78	119	100	...
	10 Burdwan ... ..	.....	3	3	1	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	40	63	40	172	...
	11 Hooghly ... ..	.....	5	5	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	50	50	...	174	...
	12 Moorsheadabad ... ..	.....	6	4	1	1	...	1	5	1	...	...	53	104	65	192	...
	13 Dinagopore ... ..	.....	3	9	1	4	...	1	...	...	1	...	60	105	70	176	...
	14 Gya ... ..	.....	42	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	83	92	94	...	...
	15 Nuddea ... ..	.....	10	9	3	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	67	91	90	...	122
	16 Jessore ... ..	.....	3	1	1	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	66	41	90	126	...
JAILS HOLDING OVER 300 PRISONERS.	17 Rungpore ... ..	.....	3	3	1	4	...	4	3	...	1	...	62	127	124	140	...
	18 Farmedpore ... ..	.....	12	1	2	2	...	1	...	...	2	...	87	76	122	217	...
	19 Backergunge	1	5	9	1	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	74	117	125	...	123
	20 Mymensingh ... ..	.....	17	4	2	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	83	116	125	214	...
	21 Chittagong ... ..	.....	6	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	60	47	...	222	119
	22 Patna ... ..	.....	15	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	74	126	...	...
	23 Shahabad ... ..	.....	6	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	50	111	116	...
	24 Moufferpore ... ..	.....	8	3	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	81	82	120	90	116
	25 Narun ... ..	.....	12	9	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	62	26	105	125	126
	26 Chumparan ... ..	.....	11	3	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	100	80	114	...
JAILS HOLDING UNDER 300 PRISONERS.	27 Monghyr ... ..	.....	16	7	9	3	...	2	1	...	...	...	81	117	142	173	...
	28 Cuttack ... ..	.....	3	3	1	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	46	100	109	142	105
	29 Darjeeling ... ..	.....	4	2	...	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	66	73	...	224	...
	30 Durbhunga ... ..	.....	16	12	2	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	68	37	100	227	...
	31 Lohardugga ... ..	.....	3	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	70	65	...	...	...
	Total for Central and District Jails	3	626	272	106	126	45	65	16	7	25	9	87	127	126	264	105
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	32 Bankura ... ..	.....	4	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	61	142	...	...
	33 Beerbhoom ... ..	.....	5	3	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	59	62	...	...	126
	34 Bogra ... ..	.....	...	3	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	57	60	...	...
	35 Maldah ... ..	.....	3	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	64	61	...	126	...
	36 Pubna ... ..	.....	16	4	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	67	73	...	126	102
	37 Julpore	2	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	126	...	...	...
	38 Nankholy ... ..	.....	7	4	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	74	94	24	...	...
	39 Tipperah	1	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	59	...	...	...
	40 Purneah ... ..	.....	4	1	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	65	57	120	...	176
	41 Pooree ... ..	.....	2	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	66	57	...	110	...
INTERMEDIATE JAILS HOLDING UNDER 100 PRISONERS.	42 Balasore ... ..	.....	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	124	...	...	...
	43 Singhbhum ... ..	.....	3	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	38	64	126	...
	44 Manbhum ... ..	.....	4	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	60	73	67	...	127
	45 Khoolna ... ..	.....	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	77	...	...	...
	Total for Intermediate Jails	5	10	37	9	5	6	7	...	...	1	1	67	124	125	126	127
Total for all Jails			5	636	281	115	131	51	16	7	26	10	87	127	126	264	107
Add for Subsidiary Jails			1	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	57	120	120	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			5	638	282	116	131	52	16	7	26	10	87	127	126	264	107

MENT C.

and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

IN DAYS GAINED BY ANY DURING THE YEAR.					AVERAGE REMISSION GAINED BY THE CONVICTS ENTERED IN COLUMN 4.										6		7		8		9	
10—					Sentenced to—										Maximum gratuity earned by any convict released during the year.		Average gratuity gained by the convicts entered in column 4.		Serial number.		JAILS.	
Ditto 7 years.	Ditto 8 years.	Ditto 9 years.	Ditto 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years.	Two years or less.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Ditto 4 years.	Ditto 5 years.	Ditto 6 years.	Ditto 7 years.	Ditto 8 years.	Ditto 9 years.	Ditto 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years.								
236	108	108	194	243	40	85	80	84	182	136	108	106	135	185	...	...	1	Alipore—District and Central.		
170	45	171	283	221	42	80	73	97	160	123	46	191	203	221	...	...	2	Presidency { Dist. & Central.		
...	...	...	...	...	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	European.	
225	126	176	123	65	44	88	90	114	116	207	122	108	123	65	...	...	4	Midnapore—Dist. & Central.		
270	207	...	243	261	55	74	82	126	107	106	207	...	243	175	...	...	5	Bhagalpore—Dist. & Central.		
169	44	56	222	...	54	67	63	103	90	180	44	82	207	...	...	...	6	Buxar—Central.	
223	187	...	311	206	50	70	104	123	125	233	187	...	208	206	...	...	7	Rajshahy Dist. & Central.		
126	...	...	405	...	53	73	87	111	43	186	...	...	233	...	...	...	8	Dacca—District & Central.	
209	...	...	...	...	60	65	116	123	...	257	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	Hasaribagh.	
...	...	117	320	...	67	48	40	173	...	...	...	117	206	...	...	...	10	Burdwan.	
41	...	...	...	...	45	65	...	121	...	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	Hughly.	
344	339	268	...	...	67	73	65	198	...	244	206	264	...	...	...	...	12	Mourshedabad.	
225	...	...	220	...	58	73	70	166	...	335	...	...	220	...	...	...	13	Dinapore.	
...	...	...	131	...	57	63	94	...	...	...	...	...	151	...	...	...	14	Gya.	
...	...	...	319	...	44	56	79	...	126	...	...	...	319	...	...	...	15	Nuddes.	
236	...	...	221	...	66	41	95	122	...	220	...	...	321	...	...	...	16	Jessore.	
274	246	...	367	...	59	104	134	119	...	227	263	...	367	...	...	...	17	Kumtura.	
170	...	...	220	...	56	76	97	186	...	170	...	...	186	...	...	...	18	Furzedpore.	
...	104	...	166	...	55	65	125	...	126	...	104	...	166	...	...	...	19	Hackergunge.	
274	...	...	...	...	63	63	110	185	...	274	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	Mymensingh.	
2	...	...	...	...	53	47	...	226	112	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	Chittagong.	
...	...	...	...	...	54	74	111	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	Patna.	
...	...	...	...	...	46	87	111	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	Shahabad.	
...	...	...	...	...	54	68	130	96	63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	Muzaffarpore.	
...	...	...	...	...	50	73	94	120	126	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	Saran.	
...	...	...	...	...	53	67	77	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	Chumpran.	
220	274	...	...	...	52	77	114	126	...	196	274	...	...	...	...	...	27	Monghyr.	
175	...	...	...	...	20	85	160	133	165	175	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	Outtack.	
270	...	...	...	194	54	68	...	223	...	270	...	...	...	194	...	...	29	Darjeeling.	
115	...	...	...	...	50	67	94	124	...	115	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	Durbhanga.	
126	...	...	...	...	56	64	...	...	...	126	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	Lohardugga.	
225	220	220	225	220	51	63	96	127	117	196	167	123	224	205	...	...	Total for Central and Dist Jails.			
...	...	...	...	...	41	67	105	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	Ranikorn.	
251	...	...	...	...	51	68	...	...	151	261	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	Berhoom.	
220	...	...	...	...	...	79	86	...	220	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	Jogra.	
227	...	...	...	...	60	81	...	122	...	227	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	Maldah.	
220	...	...	...	...	66	84	...	106	102	249	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	Patna.	
...	...	...	...	...	53	71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	Jalpaigree.	
214	...	...	...	...	40	85	94	...	...	216	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	Noakholly.	
...	...	...	...	...	55	66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	Tippurah.	
220	...	...	...	...	56	87	117	...	176	224	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	Purneah.	
220	...	...	...	...	50	104	...	...	...	224	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	Poorbe.	
...	...	...	...	...	46	88	96	126	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	Balaore.	
...	...	...	...	...	45	89	96	126	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	Singhoom.	
...	...	...	226	173	62	47	97	...	127	...	...	...	224	173	...	...	44	Mamhoom.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	87	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	Khoolna.	
220	...	...	226	173	47	64	90	124	124	240	...	...	224	173	...	...	Total for Intermediate		
220	220	220	220	220	49	63	92	120	126	225	167	123	220	120	...	...	Total for all Jails.			
220	...	...	...	...	60	84	120	...	...	226	...	...	...	...	...	...	Add for Subsidiary Jails		
220	220	220	220	220	55	66	106	126	126	220	167	126	220	120	...	...	GRAND TOTAL.			

Showing the nature of the crimes for which the CONVICTS were imprisoned

Serial number.	NATURE OF OFFENCES.	TOTAL OF JAILS AND SUBSIDIARY JAILS.	CONVICTS ADMITTED DURING THE YEAR 1888 UNDER											
			A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.	
			One month.		Above one month and not exceeding three months.		Above three months and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two years and not exceeding five years.	
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	Offences against the State	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Offences relating to the Army and Navy.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	34	...	11	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Offences against the public tranquillity.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	298	...	445	1	280	...	128	...	98	...	80	...
4	Offences by others relating to public servants.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	28	...	6	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
5	Offences by public servants	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	69	...	17	2	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
6	Contempt of the lawful authority of public servants.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	70	...	31	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
7	False evidence and the like and false personation in a suit of criminal proceeding.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	51	13	80	19	45	8	29	1	6	...	3	...
8	Causing disappearance of evidence and omitting to inform or giving false information regarding an offence.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	3	...	3	1	6	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
9	Fraudulent claims, decrees, disposals of property.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Making false criminal charge	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	85	9	75	2	40	1	30	4	10	...	6	2
11	Harbouring offenders, compounding offences, resisting apprehensions, and the like.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	37	1	16	1	18	...	4	...	8	...	2	...
12	Offences by public servants against public justice.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	6	...	3	...	5	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
13	Interrupting public servants and personating juror or assessor.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	Lighter offences relating to coin	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	10	...	6	...	3	...	3	1	4	...	2	...

MENT D.

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

RECEIPTS FOR EXHIBITS—																	
G.		H.		I.				J.		TOTAL.			TOTAL OF JAILS AND SUBSIDIARY JAILS.		NATURE OF OFFENSES.		
Above five years and not exceeding ten years.	Exceeding ten years.	SENTENCED TO TRANSPORTATION BEYOND SEAS.				Sentenced to death.											
		A.		B.													
				For life.		For a term.											
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.					
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Offences against the State.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Offences relating to the Army and Navy.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Offences against the public tranquility.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Offences by others relating to public servants.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Offences by public servants.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Contempt of the lawful authority of public servants.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} False evidence and the like and false personation in a suit of criminal proceedings.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Causing disappearance of evidence and omitting to inform or giving false information regarding an offence.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Fraudulent claims, decrees, disposals of property.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Making false criminal charge.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Harboring offenders, empowering offenders, resisting apprehensions, and the like.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Offences by public servants against public justice.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Interrupting public servants and personating judge or witness.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Central and District Jails	} Lighter offences relating to civil.			
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Total for Intermediate Jails				
000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	Add for Subsidiary Jails				
													Total.				

Showing the nature of the crimes for which the CONVICTS were imprisoned

Serial number.	NATURE OF OFFENCE.	TOTAL OF JAILS AND SUBSIDIARY JAILS.	CONVICTS ADMITTED DURING THE YEAR 1900											
			A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.	
			One month.		Above one month and not exceeding three months.		Above three months and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two years and not exceeding five years.	
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
15	Draver offences relating to coin and stamps.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	...	...	1	1	5	...	4	1	1	1	6	1
16	Offences relating to weights and measures.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
17	Offences affecting the public health and safety.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	34	3	15	...	9	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
18	Nuisances ...	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	88	12	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Obscene books and literature.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	9	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Offences relating to religion.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	1	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Murder and attempt to murder.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...
22	Culpable homicide and attempt to commit the same.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	4	...	4	...	7	1	6	1	4	...	31	3
23	Attempt to commit suicide.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	34	11	6	10	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	...
24	Being a thug.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Causing miscarriage, exposing children and concealment of birth of child.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	1	3	...	6	...	2	1	9	...	...	...	...
26	Hurt and assault with or without provocation.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	689	6	212	1	26	...	66	1	10	...	4	...
27	Aggravated cases of hurt, all cases of grievous hurt and doing acts dangerous to life.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	21	7	129	1	22	...	66	4	27	...	...	...
28	Wrongful restraint and confinement.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	65	2	32	...	20	...	19	...	7	...	...	...

MENT D--continued.

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

UNION SENTENCE NOT EXCEEDING--

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Showing the Nature of the Crimes for which the CONVICTS were imprisoned

Serial number.	NATURE OF OFFENCES.	TOTAL OF JAILS AND SUBSIDIARY JAILS.	CONVICTS ADMITTED DURING THE YEAR 1898											
			A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.	
			One month.		Above one month and not exceeding three months.		Above three months and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two years and not exceeding five years.	
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
29	Aggravated assault	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	119 54 90 242	1 23 63 1	54 23 63 163	... ... ... ...	25 4 20 65	... ... ... ...	15 4 7 26	... ... ... ...	5 3 5 10	............	............	............
30	Kidnapping, abduction, selling minors to slavery	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	... ... 7 7	... ... ... ...	6 1 8 15	1 ... 1 2	6 6 6 16	... ... 2 2	21 4 3 23	... 2 1 5	7 4 11 23	6 ... 2 8	12 6 8 26	2 ... 5 7
31	Unlawful compulsory labour...	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	1 1	... ... ... ...	1 1	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	1 1	............
32	Rape	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	1 1 1 3	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	5 5	... ... ... ...	4 3 ... 6	... ... ... ...	11 1 1 13	............
33	Unnatural offences	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... 1 ... 1	... ... ... ...	4 ... 1 5	... ... ... ...	7 7	............
34	Theft, including theft in building and by servants and breaking open closed receptacle	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	1,490 649 1,443 3,582	165 36 168 235	923 197 840 1,600	30 13 45 86	590 94 472 1,156	22 3 23 47	316 66 344 706	13 ... 3 16	376 46 237 530	11 ... 5 14	137 27 85 230	3 1 1 6
35	Extortion, unaggravated	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	4 2 16 21	... ... ... ...	7 6 12 25	... ... ... ...	12 ... 23 35	... ... ... ...	2 3 12 15	... ... ... ...	1 1 2 4	... ... ... ...	2 2	............
36	Extortion, aggravated	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	... ... 2 2	... ... ... ...	1 1	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	1 ... 1 2	............	............	............	............	............
37	Robbery and aggravated theft	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	... 1 4 5	... ... ... ...	4 3 4 11	... ... ... ...	3 ... 4 7	... 1 4 1	6 2 2 10	... ... ... ...	21 6 11 37	... ... ... ...	13 2 7 22	............
38	Incestry	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	2 2	... ... ... ...	2 2	... ... ... ...	2 2	... ... ... ...	16 2 2 20	... ... ... ...	40 1 ... 41	............
39	Dishonest misappropriation	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	48 3 60 53	3 ... 3 ...	33 4 34 57	... 1 2 3	8 1 14 23	... ... 1 1	5 2 2 9	... 1 1 2	4 ... 3 7	... ... ... ...	4 1 1 6	............
40	Criminal breach of trust	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	48 19 23 74	2	25 13 26 104	3 4	69 7 46 124	2 2	64 4 25 90	1 1	23 6 23 52	... ... ... ...	24 3 13 30	............
41	Receiving and concealing stolen property	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	149 19 118 286	29 7 26 66	173 20 140 293	19 16 20 55	185 66 126 264	8 ... 10 18	21 27 126 254	7 ... 5 12	69 20 29 118	3 ... 2 5	66 14 27 107	1 1 ... 2
42	Cheating	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	17 1 7 25	2	20 3 16 42	3	10 3 14 27	... 1 ... 1	29 2 12 41	... ... ... ...	0 ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	14 14	............

MENT D—continued.

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

UNDER SENTENCE NOT EXCEEDING—													TOTAL OF JAILS AND SUBSIDIARY JAILS.	NATURE OF OFFENCES.		
G.		H.		I.				J.		TOTAL.						
Above five years and not exceeding ten years.		Exceeding ten years.		SENTENCED TO TRANSPORTATION BEYOND SEAS.				Sentenced to death.								
				A.		B.										
				For life.		For a term.										
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.				
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	117	1	118	Total for Central and District Jails	Aggravated assault.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	67	1	68	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	234	1	235	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	110	1	111	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	28	12	40	Total for Central and District Jails	Kidnapping, abduction, selling minors to slavery.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	31	2	33	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	80	11	91	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	122	26	148	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	Total for Central and District Jails	Unlawful compulsory labour.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	4	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	4	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	23	7	30	Total for Central and District Jails	Rape.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	1	8	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	63	1	64	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	1	12	Total for Central and District Jails	Unnatural offences.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	1	13	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2,714	107	2,821	Total for Central and District Jails	Theft, including theft in building and by servants and breaking open closed rooms tanks.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	947	65	1,012	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2,764	234	3,000	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3,480	404	3,884	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	20	12	32	Total for Central and District Jails	Extortion, unaggravated.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	1	13	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	64	1	65	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	108	1	109	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	Total for Central and District Jails	Extortion aggravated.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	1	6	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	40	1	41	Total for Central and District Jails	Robbery and aggravated theft.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	1	13	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	23	1	24	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	97	1	98	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	108	1	109	Total for Central and District Jails	Dacoity.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	61	1	62	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	4	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	152	1	153	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	96	3	99	Total for Central and District Jails	Dishonest misappropriation.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	2	13	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	81	7	88	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	128	12	140	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	267	7	274	Total for Central and District Jails	Criminal breach of trust.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	64	1	65	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	128	2	130	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	408	9	417	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	604	26	630	Total for Central and District Jails	Receiving and concealing stolen property.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	170	12	182	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	714	79	793	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,388	104	1,492	Total.			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	128	4	132	Total for Central and District Jails	Obtaining.		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	1	13	Total for Intermediate Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	62	2	64	Add for Subsidiary Jails			
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	120	6	126	Total.			

Showing the Nature of the Crimes for which the CONVICTS were imprisoned

Serial number.	NATURE OF OFFENSES.	TOTAL OF JAILS AND SUBSIDIARY JAILS.	CONVICTS ADMITTED DURING THE YEAR 1908											
			A.		B.		C.		D.		E.		F.	
			One month.		Above one month and not exceeding three months.		Above three months and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two years and not exceeding five years.	
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
43	Fraudulent deeds and distribution of property.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	1 1 2	...	3 1 4	...	1 ... 1	...	5 ... 6	...	2 ... 2	...	1 ... 1	...
44	Mischief	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	54 15 139	1 1 2	49 9 58	...	21 9 30	2 ... 1	9 2 43	4 ... 1	16 5 21	...	9 5 14	1 ... 1
45	Simple trespass and house-trespass.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	208 40 248	3 2 5	72 25 97	2 ... 1	23 22 45	...	17 4 21	1 ... 1	8 1 9	...	4 2 6	...
46	House-breaking in order to commit offence punishable with death or imprisonment for life, and causing death or grievous hurt in house-breaking.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	10 5 15	...	7 3 10	1	29 8 37	1	21 8 29	...	22 2 24	...	27 2 29	...
47	House-breaking and house-trespass.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	66 86 152	3 ... 7	100 65 165	3 ... 7	214 64 278	3 ... 6	144 71 215	2 ... 1	104 41 145	...	60 23 83	...
48	Forgery and offence relating to trade and property marks.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	7 1 8	...	...	...	5 ... 5	...	4 1 5	...	7 ... 7	...	25 3 28	...
49	Criminal breach of contract ...	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	9 1 10	1	6 ... 6	1 ... ...	...	...	1 ... 1	...	...	...	...	...
50	Offences relating to marriage ...	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	43 9 52	4	41 7 48	3	29 18 47	1	12 4 16	1	8 4 12	...	2 1 3	...
51	Defamation	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	5 ... 5	...	2 ... 2	...	1 ... 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
52	Criminal intimidation, insults and annoyance.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	11 3 14	2	9 3 12	...	6 3 9	...	3 ... 3	...	...	...	...	...
53	Bad livelihood and belonging to wandering gang of thieves.	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	43 143 186	4	35 8 43	4	127 12 139	2	214 49 263	...	14 1 15	...	23 2 25	...
54	All other offences	Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	640 143 783	30 5 35	146 65 211	5	97 17 114	4	82 27 109	...	18 1 19	...	9 ... 9	...
GRAND TOTAL		Total for Central and District Jails ... Total for Intermediate Jails ... Add for Subsidiary Jails ... Total ...	4,402 1,302 5,704	300 75 3,754	2,315 817 3,132	112 65 177	2,002 504 2,506	60 11 71	1,312 283 1,595	35 4 39	304 21 325	32 3 35	404 20 424	17 5 22

MENT D—concluded.

in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Bengal during the year 1888.

UNDER SENTENCE NOT EXCEEDING—

G.		H.		I.				J.		TOTAL.			TOTAL OF JAILS AND SUBSIDIARY JAILS.	NATURE OF OFFENCES.
Above five years and not exceeding ten years.		Exceeding ten years.		SENTENCED TO TRANSPORTATION BEYOND SEAS.				Sentenced to death.						
				A.		B.								
				For life.		For a term.								
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.		
										19		19	Total for Central and District Jails ...	Fraudulent deeds and distribution of property.
										3		3	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										2		2	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
										10		10	Total.	
3						2				162	8	170	Total for Central and District Jails ...	Mischief.
										47	1	47	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										260	7	267	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
										404	16	404	Total.	
										329	6	335	Total for Central and District Jails ...	Simple trespass and house-trespass.
										153	2	155	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										621	7	628	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
										1,003	15	1,018	Total.	
6				2		0				151	2	153	Total for Central and District Jails ...	House-breaking in order to commit offence punishable with death or imprisonment for life, and causing death or grievous hurt in house-breaking.
										70	3	73	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
													Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
				2		0				220	6	231	Total.	
14				1		1				407	13	420	Total for Central and District Jails ...	House-breaking and house-trespass.
1						1				200	6	206	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
1										945	26	1,010	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
				1		2				2,072	43	2,115	Total.	
0						1				57		57	Total for Central and District Jails ...	Forgery and offence relating to trade and property marks.
										0		0	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										14	3	21	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
						1				83	3	86	Total.	
										14	2	20	Total for Central and District Jails ...	Criminal breach of contract.
										1		1	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										8		8	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
										27	2	29	Total.	
										156	13	164	Total for Central and District Jails ...	Offences relating to marriages.
										40		40	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										90	4	94	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
										263	17	292	Total.	
										0		0	Total for Central and District Jails ...	Defamation.
										6		6	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										6		6	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
										16		16	Total.	
										29	2	31	Total for Central and District Jails ...	Criminal intimidation, insult, and annoyance.
										13		13	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										26	2	32	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
										74	4	76	Total.	
										250	10	245	Total for Central and District Jails ...	Bad livelihood and belonging to wandering gang of thieves.
										67		67	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										250		250	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
										972	10	968	Total.	
						1				1,003	20	1,042	Total for Central and District Jails ...	All other offences.
										148	10	233	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
										1,449	36	1,444	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
						1				2,004	64	2,779	Total.	
100	3	0		20	11	04		26	2	12,440	241	12,687	Total for Central and District Jails ...	GRAND TOTAL.
04				23	3	6		6		5,777	141	5,918	Total for Intermediate Jails ...	
0				1						12,440	241	12,687	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	
230	4	4		76	14	06		32	2	20,777	1,223	20,996	Total.	

RESOLUTION.

JAILS.

Dated Darjeeling, the 1st June 1888

READ—

The Report on the Administration of the Jail Department for the year 1888.

Read also—

The Reports for the years 1886 and 1887, and the orders of Government recorded thereon.

DR. LETHBRIDGE was in charge from the 1st to the 14th April, when he went on a month's privilege leave. Mr. A. D. Larymore, Superintendent of the Alipore Jail, acted as Inspector-General of Jails in addition to his own duties till the 14th May, when Dr. Lethbridge resumed charge, and held it till the 1st November. He then went on special duty, and Dr. Purves, by whom the present report has been submitted, officiated as Inspector-General of Jails in his place up to the end of the year.

2. *Judicial statistics.*—The total jail population rose from the extraordinarily small number of 13,210, due to the Jubilee remissions on the 31st December 1887, to 13,985 on the 31st December 1888. The number of convicts increased from 11,950 to 12,821, and that of under-trial prisoners from 1,002 to 1,116, while the number of civil prisoners owing to recent changes in the law fell from 258 to 48. The following table shows the figure for convicts only during the last ten years:—

	1878.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
Number of prisoners in jails and subsidiary jails on the last day of previous year	17,584	17,590	16,384	15,331	14,377	13,417	14,031	13,331	13,405	11,950
Admitted direct during the year	34,735	33,335	31,485	31,719	30,743	32,054	31,530	30,375	30,942	30,995
Total	52,319	50,925	47,869	47,050	45,120	45,471	45,561	43,776	44,347	42,945
Admitted by transfer	30,549	18,511	17,094	15,700	15,400	16,000	17,355	17,372	16,427	30,105
Total	74,103	69,436	64,963	62,750	60,520	61,471	62,916	61,148	60,774	73,050
Total discharged (including transfers)	55,063	53,053	49,612	49,324	48,235	48,040	49,023	48,403	47,884	39,500
Balance at the end of the year	17,300	16,384	16,351	14,377	13,417	14,031	13,331	13,405	11,950	12,821
Daily average number of prisoners	17,304	16,673	15,546	14,901	13,711	13,697	13,787	13,304	12,985	13,973

When the proposals, carried out in 1888, were made to reduce 14 District Jails to the status of Intermediate Jails, it was expected that provision would only have to be made for the accommodation of 11,000 prisoners, and as this number is now greatly exceeded, and there does not seem to be any prospect of an immediate decrease, the Inspector-General will be requested to report whether it is necessary, in order to avoid the risk of overcrowding, to restore any of the Intermediate Jails to their former status. Direct admissions increased from 29,942 in 1887 to 30,995—no doubt in great measure owing to the high prices of food-grains in the greater part of Bengal. The increase is not, however, very serious, as the average annual admissions from 1883 to 1887 amounted to 30,788. The average annual admissions from 1878 to 1882 were 34,233, while in 1878, the last year of great scarcity in Bengal, they numbered 38,929. The frequent transfer of prisoners from Intermediate to District and Central Jails accounts for the large increase under the head of admissions by transfer. The small number of releases under remission rules is due to the fact that many prisoners were released on account of the Jubilee in 1887, whose term of imprisonment would otherwise have expired in 1888. The slight decrease in the percentage of convicts confined in the Central Jails, 57.40 against 59.55 in 1887, is probably due to the same cause, as many long-term prisoners were released in 1887 who would otherwise have swelled the convict population of the Central Jails. The figures, however, show that these are fully utilized, and that a large proportion of the jail population is confined in the jails where the standard of discipline is highest and the labour exacted most suitable. The number released on appeal has increased from 1,903 in 1887 to 1,980 in 1888, and it is a very unsatisfactory feature of the criminal administration that the

number has increased, year by year, since 1882, when the figure stood at 1,384.

3. That only 97 Bengal prisoners were transported as against 137 in 1886 and 168 in 1887 is due to the fact that the figures of those years were swollen, a number of prisoners, who had formerly been rejected for bodily infirmities, being sent to the Andamans under the new rules regulating the selection of convicts. The number sent in 1884 and 1885, respectively, with the more stringent rules then in force, were 37 and 35.

4. A further addition of 145 Burmese prisoners has raised the total number of this class under confinement in Bengal to 422. The Burmese are a dangerous class of prisoners owing to their quick temper and constant desire to escape, but their general behaviour is very good. During 1888 only 434 offences were recorded against 422 prisoners, while in 1887, with only 284 prisoners, 450 offences were recorded. They have, save in a few jails, kept excellent health on the ordinary diet allowed to native prisoners. Most of them are now trained artizans who do valuable work. They can generally speak the language of the district in which they are confined, and a considerable proportion are serving as convict officers in different grades. The responsibilities of jail officers have been considerably increased by having these prisoners in jails which were not intended for the accommodation of transportation prisoners, and the Lieutenant-Governor is still of opinion that something should be done towards introducing a scheme of ticket-of-leave for Burmese prisoners who have served for a certain time in the higher grades as prison officials.

5. As regards the nature of imprisonment, the only noticeable points are that, notwithstanding the increase in admissions, the number of prisoners sentenced to simple imprisonment has decreased from 2,216 to 2,143, and that of prisoners sentenced to rigorous imprisonment with flogging from 103 to 72. The number of females admitted has decreased year by year from 1,595 in 1884 to 1,218 in 1888. The number of re-convicted prisoners admitted into jail rose from 3,472 in 1887 to 3,612 in 1888; but it is not possible to draw comparisons of any value with previous years until the new rules introduced in February 1887, regarding the identification and classification of habitual offenders, have been working some time longer. The number of persons imprisoned for failing to give security for good behaviour rose to 1,070. The number of convicts sentenced to corporal punishment continues to decrease yearly, and fell in 1888 to 1,234 from 1,373 in 1887; on the other hand the number of boys under 16 sentenced to be flogged increased in the same period from 377 to 394.

6. The number of under-trial prisoners admitted during the year rose from 26,240 in 1887 to 28,454, while the average period of detention fell from 17.75 to 16.14 days. The Inspector-General has in his report shown that, taking the Sessions *hajats* separately, the average period of detention was 44.39 days; he is requested in future reports to show separately the average detention of other prisoners also. It is impossible to calculate it from the figures given in the report, as it is not stated how many *hajats* prisoners were committed to Sessions.

7. *Jail buildings.*—In the Presidency Jail Rs. 47,804 were spent on the construction of an iron shed, pipes for filtered water, &c. At Dacca Rs. 19,221 were spent on double-storied barracks and the Superintendent's house. In the Bhaugulpore Central Jail Rs. 14,226 were expended on new barracks, and at Buxar a new workshed cost Rs. 14,929. Rs. 47,369 were expended on the building of eight new subsidiary jails and the erection of a pucca enclosure wall to the Kurseong subsidiary jail. The daily average number of prisoners employed on jail buildings was 1,334 against 1,124 in 1887. During the last 12 years Rs. 2,46,235 have, on an average, been provided yearly for building new jails and improving old buildings, and it now only remains to build a few more subsidiary jails to complete the substitution of permanent buildings for the thatched sheds which formerly served in many cases as jails. Some of the buildings on the old standard plan are still unsatisfactory from a sanitary point of view, and the Lieutenant-Governor will take measures in communication with the Inspector-General to effect gradual improvements in the sleeping wards in such cases.

8. *Guards and escapes.*—The high state of efficiency of the warder guard has been maintained, and it is satisfactory that it has been possible to do this with a much smaller number of punishments than was formerly required. The number

of punishments has fallen from 3,133 in 1885, 2,715 in 1886, and 2,359 in 1887, to 1,815 in 1888. Excluding warnings and extra drill, there were only 1,191 punishments among 1,584 men, the number to which the establishment has been reduced from 1,707 in 1887, owing to the reduction of 14 District Jails to the Intermediate class. The number dismissed has fallen from 216 in 1885 to 81 in 1888. Such results were anticipated by Dr. Lethbridge in his report for 1886 as likely to follow when those most frequently reported and punished should have been weeded out.

9. The escapes of convicts from jails and subsidiary jails numbered 21, against 13 in 1887 and 17 in 1886. The most serious of these cases was the escape of a gang of eight convicts from the Darjeeling Jail. These men (three Bhootahs and five Pahariahs) were at work in the bakery at night, and having first murdered the convict warder in charge of the gang and responsible for its safe custody had no difficulty in making their escape not only from the jail but also from British territory. Sir Steuart Bayley was satisfied after a full enquiry that there were serious defects in the management of this jail for which the Superintendent was to some extent to blame, as he was not in the habit of visiting the jail at night and examining into the system of guarding in force. A specially selected officer was deputed to take charge of the jail in place of the former Superintendent whose resignation was accepted, but little success has attended the efforts made to recapture the escaped convicts, two of whom only have been brought back. It has hitherto been the practice to confine hillmen, irrespective of the length of their sentences, in the Darjeeling Jail, as they do not keep good health in the plains. In view, however, of the proximity of the Independent States of Nepal, Bhutan and Sikkim, it is not safe to retain hillmen with sentences exceeding one year in the Darjeeling Jail, and orders were issued for their transfer to the Presidency Jail. It is now reported that they do not keep good health in Calcutta, and they will be transferred to one of the Bihar Central Jails in the hope that the climate of Behar will suit them better. There were seven other escapes from District or Central Jails, and in every case the jail official responsible was judicially punished. It is satisfactory to note that none of the Burmese prisoners escaped.

10. *Prison discipline.*—As the question of recording jail offences is now awaiting the decision of the Government of India, it is unnecessary to deal with the subject in this Resolution. There is a decrease in the number of offences from 35,624 in 1887 to 29,054 in 1888. Corporal punishment was only inflicted in 245 cases as compared with 266 in 1887. Punishments by Criminal Courts also fell from 44 in 1887 to 29 in 1888. The only form of punishment showing an increase is solitary confinement with reduced diet: the numbers are 251 in 1887 and 352 in 1888. This form of punishment has been found effective in the case of persistent idlers and contumacious prisoners who are not strong enough to be whipped, and is resorted to on Sundays when no work is exacted. Fetters were imposed as a punishment in 8,759 cases against 11,640 in 1887, and in only 64 cases was it resorted to for safe custody.

11. The percentage of punishments to the total average number of convicts employed as convict officers was 200·7 as against 294·2 in 1887. There has been a considerable increase in the number shown as employed, as the convict warders employed to take the place of the paid staff are now included in Statement VIII, and it may be necessary for the Inspector-General of Jails to revise the sanctioned scale of 4 per cent. of the jail population, which has hitherto been considered sufficient. The percentage actually employed was 5·93 in 1888 compared with 4·34 in 1887.

12. The new mark rules have continued to work well, and it is satisfactory that there has been an increase in the number of remissions gained by prisoners undergoing terms of imprisonment not exceeding five years from 304 in 1886 and 293 in 1887 to 334 in 1888.

13. *Expenditure.*—The gross expenditure for all classes of jails, excluding that accounted for in the Public Works Department, rose from Rs. 9,68,033 in 1887 to Rs. 10,68,161 in 1888. The cost per prisoner, however, owing to the larger average population, fell from Rs. 79-0-4 per head to Rs. 77-12-8. There is a large increase in the charges under the

heads Dieting, of prisoners, Hospital charges, Clothing and Miscellaneous contingencies. The only head under which there is a material decrease is Establishment. The expenditure for central, district, and intermediate jails only has risen from Rs. 8,12,576 to Rs. 9,08,410, the increase being spread over every item, excepting establishment and petty construction and repairs.

14. Diet charges have risen from Rs. 2,44,730 in 1887 to Rs. 2,95,680 in 1888, partly owing to the larger daily average prison population, and partly owing to the higher prices paid for the chief articles of diet, which has led to an increase in the diet expenditure per prisoner in central, district, and intermediate jails from Rs. 20-4 to Rs. 21-10-10. By far the most important article of diet is rice, and its price rose from Rs. 1-12-8 per maund to Rs. 1-14-10. Maize, dal and salt also rose in price; while wheat, meat and fish fell. Vegetables and other products worth Rs. 36,284 were obtained from the jail gardens by prison labour. In the Rajshahye, Burdwan, and Khoolna Jails vegetables worth Rs. 52 had to be purchased in the market, owing, it is said, to the insufficient rainfall. It would be desirable in future to give in detail the earnings of each jail under this head, as doubtless greater efforts would be made to economise if each jail got credit for its own earnings. It is to be hoped that Dr. Lethbridge's suggestion, that in future the jailors will be held responsible if condiments have to be purchased from outside, will lead to further economy by obliging all jailors to grow the condiments required in their jail gardens. Steps are being taken to organise a proper system of fish-breeding in jail tanks, which should lead to a considerable saving in the cost of diet. The value of fish supplied for jail consumption should in future be shown under this head among jail products. Making every allowance for the high price of cereals and extra diet given to prisoners in a bad state of health in the Gya Jail, the expenditure there seems excessive as compared with other jails in the same division. In considering the average cost of diet per prisoner, it must be remembered that in Bengal every prisoner sentenced to rigorous imprisonment receives full labouring diet, that no scales of short diets are in use, and that under-trial prisoners now receive full labouring diet.

15. The increase in the average cost of hospital charges, from Rs. 68-3-11 in 1887 to Rs. 76-8 in 1888, is the result of a more liberal scale of diet. The cost of clothing prisoners has risen from Rs. 44,067 in 1887 to Rs. 58,309 in 1888. While this is partly due to the increased number of prisoners, it is not explained why the average cost per head should have risen from Rs. 3-10 to Rs. 4-4. In Bengal the clothing manufactured by jail labour is charged at the market value, and the difference between this and the actual cost of the raw materials is credited to Government in the Manufacturing Department.

16. Contingencies have increased from Rs. 81,190 to Rs. 1,09,213. Of the increase, Rs. 3,871 is due to the increase in transfers, Rs. 11,537 to the payment of municipal taxes for jail buildings, and Rs. 2,105 to the travelling expenses of jail officials, including, for the first time, those of Civil Hospital Assistants sent to do duty in jails. As regards the first item, the success of the organisation of jail establishments in Bengal is greatly due to the fact, that jailors and their subordinates are not allowed to remain more than three or four years in one jail—a measure which has materially contributed to the efficiency and trustworthiness of the jail service. The transfer charges have been increased by the reduction of 14 district to intermediate jails; the rules requiring the retransfer before release of all prisoners on the police register to the districts in which their homes are situated also accounts for much of this expenditure, and this portion of it which is attended with the best results in the police administration cannot be controlled by the jail administration. So, too, a change of system in paying the municipal tax on jail buildings has saddled the jail expenditure with a charge of Rs. 15,734. Were municipal revenues in Bengal raised as in other provinces by an octroi, from which the Lieutenant-Governor understands articles consumed in jails are exempted, this charge would disappear. This shows the difficulty of comparing jail expenditure in different provinces without some definite rules as to the charges to be entered in statements X and XI of the report. Contingencies include Rs. 3,443 for dieting of defendants paid through Magistrates. This is charged to the Jail budget for convenience of account keeping.

17. *Employment of prisoners, and manufactures.*—The average number of prisoners sentenced to labour increased from 10,698·30 in 1887 to 12,210·17 in 1888; of whom 5,368·39 were employed on manufactures, or 49·96 per cent., against 46·03 in the previous year, while 13·9 per cent. were sick or convalescent against 12·4 in 1887. The other prisoners were employed on prison duties as prison officers, on jail buildings in jail gardens, &c. The net cash earnings decreased from Rs. 2,99,870, or Rs. 60·14 per head on the average number of convicts employed on manufactures, to Rs. 2,66,898, or Rs. 49·12 per head. The net profits increased from Rs. 2,42,741 in 1887 to Rs. 2,60,564; the difference in the result between net profits and net cash earnings is due to the fact that there was a much larger stock of raw materials and manufactured articles in hand on the 1st January 1887 than on the 1st January 1888, and the average profit per head sentenced to labour is nearly the same as in the previous year, namely, Rs. 22·1 as against Rs. 22·11.

18. The average earning of each prisoner in Central Jails is shown in the following table:—

					Average earning per prisoner, 1887.	Average earning per prisoner, 1888.
Presidency Jail	...	...	...	...	73·0	59·8
Alipore "	...	...	...	...	45·7	43·7
Buxar "	...	...	...	...	21·3	40·9
Midnapore "	...	...	...	...	15·1	30·8
Rajshahye "	...	...	...	...	12·4	21·2
Bhagulpore "	...	...	...	...	10·6	0·0
Dacca "	...	...	...	...	3·7	8·0

19. The working of the Presidency Jail was affected in 1887 by the Jubilee remissions, and its earnings are now again almost the same as in 1886. The great falling off in the Buxar Central Jail is reported to be due to a restricted outturn, as a large stock from the previous year remained in hand. In Midnapore the decreased earnings are attributed to light tasks owing to the indifferent health of the prisoners and to slightly lower rates for the outturn. In the Rajshahye Jail the outturn was considerably reduced in March and April through the failure of the contractor to supply the full amount of castor seed due under the previous year's contract; and while the seed supply for the year was purchased at a higher rate than usual, advantage could not be taken of the rise in the market rate of oil, as the greater portion of the production was supplied to Provincial State Railways at a uniform contract rate.

20. *Subsidiary Jails.*—The management of subsidiary jails has not been in all cases satisfactory. It is desirable that the Inspector-General of Jails should devote close attention to enforcing a stricter supervision and improved administration on the Deputy Superintendents in charge of these jails. Rupees 70,106 has been expended on subsidiary buildings against Rs. 38,857 in 1887. During 1888 new subsidiary jails were built to replace the old buildings at eight stations. The condition of the warder guard was on the whole satisfactory. Convicts were detained on an average for 8·21 days at subsidiary jails before being sent on to district or central Jails, the longest period recorded since 1881. At several of these jails prisoners were detained to work on new buildings, and in some cases of jails showing a high average detention they were kept on account of sickness. It is also to be remarked that the subsidiary jail at Palamow has now been converted into an intermediate jail, but that prisoners with sentences of three months and under were detained at this jail though it was classed as a subsidiary jail during the year under report. In Jamalpore, Arrareah, Nowgong, Sathira, Begerhat, and the Khond Mehals under-trial prisoners were detained from 27·17 to 21·57 days. This matter will be dealt with in the Judicial Department. There were 19 escapes as against 17 in 1887 and 20 in 1886. The average cost of each prisoner, excluding the expenditure in the Public Works Department, fell from Rs. 127·8·7 in 1887 to Rs. 121·6·7, owing to the increase in the daily average number of prisoners from 768·38 to 847·45.

21. *Plant Statistics.*—There is ample accommodation in the Bengal Jails for far more than the present number of prisoners. It is reported, however, that five of the district jails were more or less overcrowded during some part of the year, and the Inspector-General is requested to report how he proposes to prevent this in future. He is also requested to report how far it is possible to provide within the present buildings increased accommodation for under-trial prisoners.

22. The sickness and mortality of convicts and under-trial prisoners taken together, for the past 10 years, are shown in the following statement:—

YEARS.	Daily average number of prisoners.	Daily average sick.	Ratio per mille of daily average sick.	NUMBER OF DEATHS.			DEATH-RATES PER MILE OF AVERAGE STRENGTH.			Remarks.
				From cholera.	From all other causes.	Total number of deaths.	From cholera.	From all other causes.	From all causes.	
1878	14,611	888	60.1	215	1,078	1,293	11.5	97.4	108.9	Convicted and under-trial only.
1879	18,483	947	51.3	841	1,411	1,755	19.4	78.4	97.8	
1880	17,968	941	52.4	81	1,100	1,181	1.7	61.6	63.3	
1881	18,430	878	47.6	88	1,014	1,099	4.8	55.4	60.2	
1882	18,502	849	45.8	181	985	1,166	6.1	53.8	59.9	
1883	14,776	739	50.0	61	701	762	4.1	47.4	51.5	
1884	14,898	754	50.6	62	678	740	4.1	45.6	49.7	
1885	14,926	773	51.7	187	730	917	10.8	48.9	59.7	
1886	14,879	664	44.4	69	808	877	5.7	54.5	60.2	
1887	12,647	849	67.1	130	379	509	1.7	31.4	33.1	
1888	13,454	931	69.2	133	468	601	9.7	36.3	46.0	
Total	1,73,148	8,437	48.7	1,296	9,408	10,704	79.0	888.9	967.9	
Average	18,649	768	40.9	117	818	936	7.1	80.8	87.9	

23. Notwithstanding the great increase in the death-rate, there are only three years during the last quarter of a century which show a lower mortality, and excluding the deaths from cholera, there are only two years in which the mortality has been so low. The highest death rate is reported from Lohardugga—191.3 per mille. Out of 26 deaths 10 were due to cholera. It is reported that the health of the district was very bad. The very high death-rates in Singbhoom and Maldah—169.8 and 181.9 per mille respectively—are also connected with the unhealthy state of those districts. In Rungpore, where there was a death-rate of 173.6 per mille, 95.5 of it was due to cholera. The death-rate of cholera generally, 9.7 per mille, has only been exceeded in seven years during the last quarter of a century. There were no cases in 30 out of 44 jails, and in only six were there more than two cases. The disease was worst at Rajshahye, where there were 71 cases and 51 deaths. In the six jails with most cases the cholera had a firm hold on the outside population before any prisoners were affected. Measures are now being taken to provide camping grounds for all central and district jails.

24. Though the most marked feature in the year was the increased mortality from cholera, yet there was also an increase in the death-rate from other diseases. The death-rate from dysentery and diarrhoea rose from 12.6 to 15.5. In the case of remittent and continued fever it rose from 1.5 to 2.3; on the other hand in intermittent fever it fell from 2.5 to 1.8.

25. The Lohardugga, Maldah, Rungpore, Singbhoom and Rajshahye Jails, which show the highest mortality in 1888, have had very few deaths during the past four months. The Lieutenant-Governor regrets to find there has been no improvement in the Gya Jail, and trusts the special measures now being taken will have good results.

26. The following table shows the extent to which prisoners discharged from jails in 1888 improved in health during their residence in jails:—

	1				2			
	State of health on admission of those who were discharged from jail, as per column 1.				State of health on discharge of those who were discharged from jail, as per column 1.			
	Good.	Indifferent.	Bad.	Total.	Good.	Indifferent.	Bad.	Total.
In 1888	22,328	2,764	2,790	27,882	22,328	4,774	2,940	30,042
Ratio per cent. to total number discharged from the jail	80.77	10.02	10.21	100.00	74.37	15.92	10.71	100.00

* Excluding the figures from the Begra Intermediate Jail.

27. These figures show a slightly greater improvement in the health of the prisoners on discharge as compared with their state on admission, than the corresponding return for last year. As regards loss of weight, however, 20.6 per cent. lost weight in 1888 against 19.3 in 1887, while 3.46 lost over five pounds against 2.86 in the previous year. None of the precautions referred

to in last year's Resolution have been abandoned, and the increased death-rate does not appear to be in any way due to any relaxation in the efforts of the jail authorities to keep up a high sanitary standard. It is unfortunately impossible to compare the statistics of jail mortality with that of the outside population, as, notwithstanding the efforts made to improve death registration, the statistics are still far too imperfect to make it possible to base any

* Report on the Census of British India, Vol. I, page 171

calculations on them. From* calculations made at the last census, it would appear that the average death-rate in Bengal is nearly 40 per mille, while

the returns for 1887 gave only 23.46.

28. *Inspection.*—Dr. Lothbridge inspected 29 jails and 5 subsidiary jails, and Dr. Purves 9 jails during 1888. There was a slight decrease in the number of visits paid by Judges, who might, the Lieutenant-Governor thinks with advantage, visit jails at their own stations more frequently. Considering that the Alipore, Midnapore, Bhagulpore, Rajshahye and Dacca Central Jails are also the district jails of their respective districts, the number of visits paid them by Magistrates were too few. Though not mentioned in the jail report, the Lieutenant-Governor learns that the non-official visitors paid 137 visits to the jails under their supervision, and showed by their notes that they took an interest in the general management of the jails. This subject should be specially noticed in the annual reports of Jail Superintendents in future years.

29. In conclusion, the Lieutenant-Governor desires to record his appreciation of the good work done during the year by the Inspector-General and the officers of the department generally. There has been a steady improvement, more or less marked, in every branch of jail administration, and the Lieutenant-Governor is satisfied that no effort is spared to remedy any defects that may be brought to light.

ORDER—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Inspector-General of Jails for information and guidance.

Ordered also that a copy of this Resolution, and a copy of the report, be submitted to the Government of India in the Home Department.

Ordered also that a copy of this Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

JOHN EDGAR,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 1755P.

Copy forwarded to the Inspector-General of Jails for information and guidance, and with the request that the reports called for in paragraphs 2 and 21 may be submitted at an early date.

No. 1756P.

EXTRACT paragraph 20 forwarded to the Judicial Department of this office for information, and for such action as may be considered necessary.

No. 1757P.

EXTRACT paragraph 28 forwarded to all District Judges and to the Magistrates of the 24-Pergunnahs, Midnapore, Bhagulpore, Rajshahye, and Dacca, for information and guidance.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

R. W. CARLYLE,

Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,

The 5th June 1889.

C. E. G. and others—Reg. No. 16380—205—2-6-89.

